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# HOOP DREAMS

National Circus School student Laurie Adornato practises an aerial routine with a hoop in this photo provided by the school. The Montreal-based school, which boasts alumni who have gone on to work with troops such as Cirque du soleil and Les Sept Doigts, is visiting Ottawa on Sunday for student auditions. For more on the story, see page 4.

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# Enviro groups downsize over snub from feds

**Shut out.** Sierra Club converts Ottawa space to social-media-campaign office, while David Suzuki Foundation refocuses on regional presence

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Environmental groups have downsized their offices in the capital to shift their focus to the provinces and public awareness after getting the cold shoulder from the federal government.

"We do no lobbying at all anymore," said John Bennett, executive director of Sierra Club Canada. "That used to be my full-time job. Our office in Ottawa is less than half as big as it was five years ago."

The group has responded by rethinking the purpose of its national office, he said.

"This office used to concentrate exclusively on the federal government. It's been converted to a social- media-campaigning office."

Bennett said that his group has recently been shut out of government advisory committees that it used to be consulted on.

"There was a roundtable on the Endangered Species Act a week ago Friday. When the minister decided who he would talk to, we weren't on the list," Bennett added. "We have been a member of this special advisory committee since its inception in 2002."

Since the Sierra Club's inception in 1989, Bennett said, the group has avoided being partisan. "We work with whatever political persuasion was in power. With this government, they have decided who their friends and enemies are. That's very alien to how environmental issues have been pursued in Canada since the 1960s."

Other groups are rethinking their strategies too, said Peter Robinson, CEO of the David Suzuki Foundation.

"We do have a smaller office in Ottawa than we did three years ago. We've made changes to how we're structured. We've moved to a regional presence. We're looking at how we can work with the provinces on some of the issues. They're still trying to create policies that are moving forward."

Environment Minister, Peter Kent's office disagreed with both group's assessments.

"Minister Kent regularly meets with a wide variety of Environmental NGOs, participates in roundtable discussions with them, makes announcements with them and attends and speaks at their events," wrote Adam Sweet, the minister's press secretary, in an email.

**Alienating?**

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**John Bennett, executive director of Sierra Club Canada**

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# $33M transit hub slated for Algonquin College

**Public transportation.** Construction slated to start by end of 2013 with a projected finish in late 2015 at Baseline

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Ontario's Minister of Transportation, Bob Chiarelli, Mayor Jim Watson and Algonquin College president Kent MacDonald, announce $16.6 million from the province to create a new transit hub at Baseline Road. GRAHAM LANKTREE/METRO

Algonquin College will be the heart of a new transit hub in Ottawa's west end, city officials announced Wednesday as the province offered up $16.6 million for the project.

"Bus traffic is often congested at Baseline station," said Ontario Minister of Transportation Bob Chiarelli as he announced the province's contribution. "Today's announcement is going to significantly improve the commute for students at Algonquin College and the entire western corridor served by the station."

The new funding from the province will help extend the Transitway from Baseline Road, along the college's new skilled-trades building, to Tallwood Drive. It will make use of an underground tunnel that already exists at the college campus running below the building.

Mayor Jim Watson said that the plan for a transit hub at Baseline has been in the works for years and that the city had earmarked for the project $16.6 million of its own money in the 2010-2011 budget, bringing the project's total cost to over $33 million.

"This project has been on the books since Chiarelli was mayor," he said. "This was one of the missing pieces of the puzzle to make sure that we're making progress with transit in our community."

Chiarelli chided the federal government for only investing $6 billion in infrastructure over the past year. "There is a $12.9-billion investment this year in infrastructure," he said of the province's budget.

Chiarelli said he hoped the city and province could find more money for the project by turning it into a public-private partnership with Algonquin College. "P3 Canada has funding for public-private partnership projects," he said of the federal program. "There could be a partnership evolving out of this."

Watson said the province's funding would help fast-track construction. "What would be four or five years down the road," he said, "we've been able to cut a couple years off the start and completion date."

# Demystify city hall for all businesses: CFIB

The Canadian Federation of Independent Business (CFIB) is glad Ottawa City Hall recognizes navigating bureaucracy can be difficult for new businesses.

But, CFIB policy analyst Louis-Martin Parent says, the government should be fixing the situation rather than assigning city staff to shepherd companies and projects through the red-tape-laden system.

"It would be better if they made the whole process better for all businesses. Make it more clear, make it more streamlined, make it so that you wouldn't need an advisor to actually guide you through the whole process," said Parent on Thursday.

"In the end, if you really stimulate that side of it, then you could probably have multiple projects that would, combined, end up being much more than 100 jobs."

Parent was responding to a new initiative, announced by Mayor Jim Watson on Wednesday, that would fast-track through city hall any company or project that would create more than 100 jobs in Ottawa.

The "capital investment track" program is intended to expedite those proposals, prioritizing any planning or infrastructure issues associated with them.

A city staffer would be assigned to the file, directing it through their own system's bureaucratic hurdles to "move at the speed of business," according to Watson.

That brings up the dangers of having bureaucrats and politicians picking winners and losers, according to Parent.

"Whenever there is some sort of grant program, even if it's not financial and preferential treatment to a specific company, then, yeah, obviously we get nervous about picking winners and losers," said Parent. "But at least it's not financial, I guess is one positive of this."

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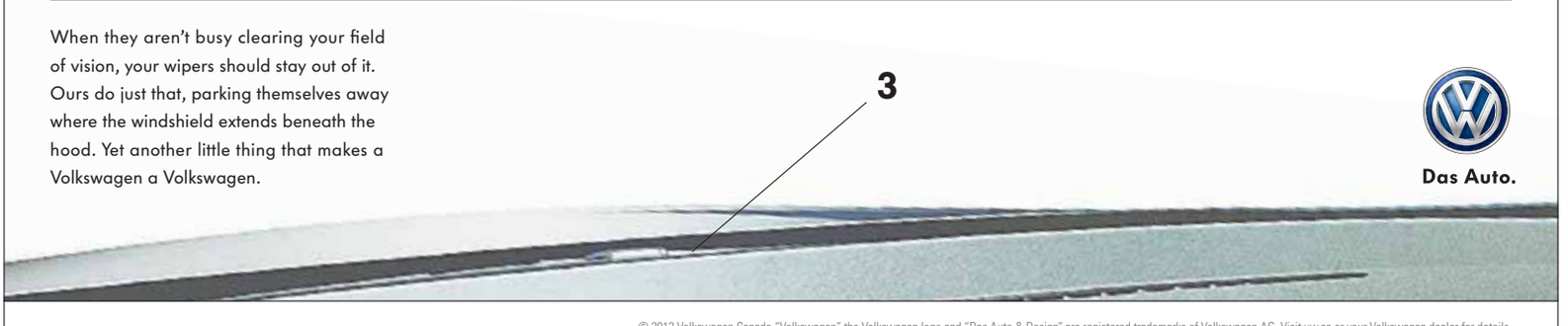


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# Not your momma's music camp

**Ottawa girls rock.**
Program rooted in Pacific Northwest's riot grrrl movement of the '90s

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From Nov. 2-4, 20 girls will learn how to sing, play instruments and rock out at Ottawa's sixth Rock Camp for Girls.

Christine Chesser, a local musician who teaches guitar at the camp, said she wants to empower girls to pursue musical ambitions.

"I don't want to be sexist, but I feel like every day is a rock camp for boys," said Chesser. "It's supposed to be a fun, safe environment for them to not be afraid to learn, because that can be intimidating."

The girls, aged 13 to 17, have a group vocal lesson before splitting into bands to learn covers of songs by their favourite musicians, which include Black Sabbath and Taylor Swift this year. They perform for friends and family on the final night.

"It's an experience," said Maxime Brunet, a sound technician who volunteered to organize this year's camp and also to lead a sound workshop. "None of us set up the weekend thinking, 'Sunday night they're going to be on the Junos.'"

She said in past years, some girls have gone on to take music lessons, start music blogs or perform in bands.

"It goes way beyond music," said Chesser. "Learning a simple drum beat proves to them, 'Wow, I can do anything.'"

The lessons are led by female musicians and music-lovers who volunteer to run the camp. They're also supported by male volunteers and local businesses.

Interested girls pay $3 or donate a food item to participate.

Christine Chesser, left, and Maxime Brunet pose at SpaceMan Music Store, a sponsor of this year's Ottawa Rock Camp for Girls. ROSANNA HAROUTOUNIAN/FOR METRO

# Running away to join the circus school

Danika Travers poses for a photo at her circus school Thursday. CONTRIBUTED

Her parents never expected her to join the circus, but Danika Travers says being at the National Circus School in Montreal is a dream come true.

"Ever since I was eight — I went to see a show called Cortino. I got inspired by that since the moment I saw it," says the 12-year-old, who, one-year ago, went to an audition in Ottawa and got her shot at the big top.

This Sunday, the school will be visiting Ottawa as part of its national pre-selection tour — a series of tryouts and auditions for youth aged nine to 17.

Danika attributes her successful tryout to her previous classes in dance and artistic and rhythmic gymnastics.

Speaking to Metro by phone from Montreal, where she lives in residence at the school, Danika said she gets to visit her parents in Ottawa on weekends and has made many new friends.

"It's a lot of fun. It's hard work, but it's a lot of fun," she says as she describes the school's alternating schedule of morning circus training followed by academics and then the reverse on following days. While students learn the regular subjects at the private school, they also learn juggling, acrobatics, flexibility and aerials.

Her mother, Nadine Corless, laughs when asked if the circus school seems a bit like Harry Potter's Hogwarts.

"I never thought this was going to be her path. She's very artistic and she's creative and this fits with who she is," said Corless. She and her husband Robert Travers are both originally from Montreal, and with Skype and email and relatives nearby, Corless says they keep in close contact with Danika.

"We'll see where she goes with it." SEAN MCKIBBON/METRO

**Auditions**

**Pre-selection auditions for the school happen in Ottawa on Sunday, Nov. 4, 1:30-4:30 p.m., at the Kali Andrews Dance Company, at 2664 Lancaster Rd.**

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# Preventing drunk-driving. MADD launches 25th red-ribbon campaign

Twenty-five years after MADD Canada first flew the red ribbon, Denise Dubyk says there's still much to be done in the fight against impaired driving.

MADD Canada's executive director said progress has been made in the 25-year history of Project Red Ribbon, MADD's holiday awareness campaign about the dangers of impaired driving.

"One of the big things that I have seen is people are coming forward more," Dubyk told reporters at the launch of this year's campaign on Thursday.

"People realize that it's something that can affect them at any time, to a family member or a friend, and people want to be involved."

Still, Dubyk said she's "befuddled" by the question of what more her organization can do to drive their message home.

One avenue is legislative change. On the provincial level, Dubyk said MADD is looking for a zero per cent blood-alcohol limit for drivers under 22, vehicle impoundment and administrative licence suspension for motorists registering between a 0.05 and 0.08 per cent blood-alcohol levels.

On the federal side, Dubyk wants to give police the power to do random breathalyzer tests at roadside stops.

RCMP Commissioner Bob Paulson would not say whether he supports such a legislative change.

"I try not to take positions with respect to legislation and laws," Paulson said. "I think that's for others to decide."

RCMP Commissioner Bob Paulson
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When asked if, from a policing perspective, he thought random tests were effective, Paulson said, "I think education and a balance between proper education and active, credible enforcement that's successful is the key to combating this threat."
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# Found Footage. Festival digs up treasure trove of hilarity from VHS era

A screed against pornography's evils, outtakes from young Arnold Schwarzenegger's raunchy trip to Rio de Janeiro and a man who teaches the "metal method" are some VHS treasures the Found Footage Festival has unearthed.

On Nov. 12, Nick Prueher and Joe Pickett will bring their 20-year collection of thrift-store video finds to the Mayfair Theatre for a night of hilarity and live commentary.

"When we tour we go to a city and start looking around at local thrift stores," said Prueher. "People share the stuff that they've found too. That's how the show keeps perpetuating itself."

Growing up in the small town of Stoughton, Wisc., Preueher and his good friend Pickett entertained their friends with their video finds. "We spent a lot of time in thrift stores and looked for things that made us laugh. One day we found a McDonalds training video that was so jaw-droppingly dumb we started having friends over to watch it."

Since taking their collection on the road in 2004, the two have even hired private detectives to track down the stars of their finds.

"There's a video in our new show called Dancing with Frank Pacholski. It aired on public access TV in two episodes in 1999. We wanted to know the back story on how it came to be. We hired a private investigator to track this guy down."

When they did, Preueher and Pickett flew down to L.A. to meet him. "We left with more questions than we came with," said Preueher of their meeting with Pacholski, who dances in the video in a thong in front of several elderly people. "Whatever weird thing he was doing, there was no crack in the facade."

Check out the Found Footage Festival Monday, Nov. 12 at the Mayfair Theatre, 1074 Bank St., at 9 p.m. Tickets are $12.

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A masked dancer performs for a group of confused senior citizens on the 1999 Los Angeles cable-access show Dancing with Frank Pacholski.

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Mitch Labonte demonstrates flipping a tractor tire, one of the exercises he has used to get back in shape after having intentionally gained 30 pounds. SEAN MCKIBBON/METRO

# Trainer packs on pounds to help obese clients

**In their shoes.**
Strategy to empathize with trainees isn't perfect, but helps in understanding problems

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Personal trainer Mitch Labonte stopped exercising and eating healthy in order to gain more than 30 pounds. He also put on a weighted vest and began the hard work of trying to take the weight back off.

He says it made him better able to help his obese clients.

"They were explaining how hard it is to work out and get around day to day," said Labonte.

**Learning the hard way**

**"I found it incredibly hard.... My knees hurt, my feet hurt, my back was sore. I've never experienced that before."** Personal trainer Mitch Labonte

One of those clients is Suzanne Lessard-Wynes, who has been working with Labonte for two years. She said she cried while she told him how hard it is for her to move during one of their walks.

"You don't know what it's like for me to lift my foot, and you want me to go a little faster?" she recalled telling him. "Even though I have all the energy inside my head, my body's like, 'No, you're not going anywhere.'" Lessard-Wynes said she has been overweight her entire life and currently weighs over 300 pounds.

Labonte said he has been working out for almost 27 years and couldn't understand what it felt like to be obese. He said that, at the beginning of the summer, he quit his strength training and cardio workouts, and started eating junk food to gain as much weight as possible.

"I found it hard not to work out," said Labonte. "I'm so used to being active." His weight reached 248 pounds, which he supplemented with a 50-pound weighted vest in order to feel the same as his 300-pound clients.

"They were in tears," he said. "They were overjoyed with it, and that put me in tears too."

In mid-September, he began exercising on the same workout he gives his clients. He now understands that losing weight requires a whole lifestyle change.

"I have a lot of baggage that makes me overeat," said Lessard-Wynes. "I don't think he understands that part of my (problem), but I think he's better able to motivate us now."

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## Trick-or-trouble. U.K. man hands out cocaine to kids instead of candy

British police say a man has been charged with a drug offence after children were given bags of cocaine instead of candy during Halloween trick-or-treating.

Greater Manchester Police says officers were called after children in the town of Royton in northwest England reported finding sachets of white powder in their Halloween bags. Tests confirmed that the substance was cocaine.

Police say 23-year-old Donald Junior Green was charged Thursday with possession of drugs. A woman was arrested but released without being charged.

Police say they believe it was an isolated incident and that it appeared that the man's drugs were given to the children accidently. None of the children consumed the cocaine.

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## The walking dead. Passed-out 'zombie' gets DUI charge

Police were called to what looked like a woman shot dead in her car but found a Halloween reveller they described as drunk and passed out in a bloody-looking zombie costume.

The news site Al.com reports that a passerby called police in Birmingham, Ala., on Thursday morning after seeing the woman slumped over her steering wheel at a traffic light.

Police say officers roused the woman and removed her from the vehicle. Authorities say she was handcuffed and taken to the city jail on a driving under the influence of alcohol charge.

A photo of the woman by al.com showed fake blood covering much of her torso as she was apprehended. Details on her identity weren't immediately available.

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# Halloween tragedy in Spanish nightclub

**Madrid.** Three women killed and two critically injured after being crushed by concert-goers fleeing an explosion set off by a firework

A mannequin's head, bottles and other debris lie in the Madrid Arena parking lot in Madrid on Thursday. A firework scare led to pandemonium inside, killing three women and critically injuring two. PAUL WHITE/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A stampede in an arena where thousands of people were attending a Halloween dance party killed three women and critically injured two others early Thursday, officials said.

It happened just after 4 a.m. in a passageway within the venue leading to the central concert area at Madrid Arena, where the disco-style party with American DJ Steve Aoki was under way.

Someone set off a flare or a firework, causing the stampede that trampled the five young women, Deputy Mayor Miguel Angel Villanueva said.

One witness said the stampede left partygoers piled atop one another as high as her shoulders.

"I saw a mass of people screaming, 'Help, get me out of here,' with security guards tugging at them," Ana Gomez told state broadcaster TVE. "I remember seeing the face of one young man, and his expression was that of sheer terror."

Thousands of people were attending the party when the stampede occurred, leaving the victims with trauma injuries or breathing and heart failure, emergency-services spokesman Fernando Prado said.

Villanueva said the venue's maximum capacity of 10,600 people had not been exceeded and that authorities decided not to evacuate the arena when the accident occurred. Most partygoers were not aware of the stampede because it was confined to the passage, he said.

Halloween has recently become a popular festivity in Spain, coinciding with the traditional feast of All Saints.

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Los Angeles

## One person critical, three others injured after USC shooting

Two men have been arrested for the Halloween shootings of four people on the University of Southern California campus.

USC Department of Public Safety Capt. David Carlisle says an argument between two men not tied to the school led to one of them pulling out a gun and shooting another person shortly before midnight.

About 100 people had gathered for a party hosted by a student organization.

One man was shot several times and critically wounded. Three bystanders had non-life-threatening injuries.

The Los Angeles Times reports USC sent a text alert telling students to stay inside. Hours later, another text said the threat was over and classes would go on as scheduled.

None involved were USC students.

Carlisle says the suspects were arrested about 10 minutes after the shooting. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS


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# Subway arteries bring N.Y.C. back to life

Chris Zaturoski siphons gasoline from his car to use for a generator at his house in Little Ferry, N.J., on Thursday. His home has been without power since Superstorm Sandy hit on Monday. MIKE GROLL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**Problems remain.**

## Concerns rise for safety of elderly and the poor

New York City moved closer to resuming its frenetic pace by getting back its vital subways Thursday, three days after the superstorm. But neighbouring New Jersey was stunned by coastal devastation and the news of thousands of people in one city still stranded by increasingly fetid flood waters.

In New York, people streamed into the city as service began to resume on commuter trains and subways. Amtrak's Northeast Corridor — the busiest train line in the country — was to take commuters along the heavily populated East Coast again, starting Friday.

But hundreds of people lined up for buses, traffic jammed for kilometres and long gas lines formed. The latest deaths reported included two young boys who disappeared Monday night when waves of water crashed into an SUV.

**On the surface**

**"Manhattan is getting back to normal — at least, the parts most people notice."**

**Alex Koppelman,** writing on The New Yorker website Thursday

Hundreds of thousands in New York City alone were still without power, especially in downtown Manhattan. Concerns rose over the elderly and poor, who faced pitch-black hallways and dwindling food.

"Our problem is making sure they know that food is available," New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg said, as officials expressed concern about people hauling water from fire hydrants up dark flights of stairs. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**Bloomberg can see it now.**

## Obama is best man to fight climate change, mayor says

New York Mayor Michael Bloomberg on Thursday backed U.S. President Barack Obama over Republican Mitt Romney, saying the incumbent Democrat will bring leadership that is critically needed to fight climate change after the East Coast devastation wrought by Superstorm Sandy.

The endorsement from the politically independent and popular third-term mayor was a major boost for Obama, who is spending the campaign's final days trying to win over independent voters whose voices will be critical in determining who wins Tuesday's election.

N.Y.C. Mayor Michael Bloomberg didn't endorse a candidate in 2008. ALLISON JOYCE/GETTY IMAGES

Both candidates had eagerly sought the nod from Bloomberg, who didn't endorse a presidential candidate in 2008.

As New York continued to pick up the pieces after the superstorm devastated parts of the city this week, Bloomberg said Sandy had made the stakes of the election even clearer.

He said the climate is changing and that Obama has taken major steps in the right direction.

"We need leadership from the White House, and over the past four years, President Barack Obama has taken major steps to reduce our carbon consumption," Bloomberg wrote in an online opinion piece, citing higher fuel-efficiency standards for vehicles and stricter controls on mercury emissions. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**Texas**

## $100K returned after alleged improper seizure

Authorities in a Texas county where a drug-enforcement program was allegedly used to shake down black and Latino highway travellers are returning more than $100,000 taken during the traffic stops.

The stops near the Louisiana border often resulted in people being forced to hand over cash without any charges being filed. They have led to multiple lawsuits and criminal investigations. District Attorney Kenneth Florence says the cases were dismissed after an agreement was reached in August to settle a class-action lawsuit.

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**Unwelcome praise**

## Love the prez, hate his fans? Romney attacks in new ad

Mitt Romney's campaign is running a new ad in Florida that claims Venezuelan President Hugo Chavez and Fidel Castro's niece would support U.S. President Barack Obama. The spot shows a clip of Chavez saying that if he were American, "I'd vote for Obama." The Venezuelan leader did say that in September, when he also called Obama "a good guy."

Obama's campaign on Thursday said the ad gives Chavez more attention than he deserves. Venezuela has had tense relations with the U.S. government for years, even though the U.S. is a top buyer of its oil.

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# Prime minister calls treatment of Ashley Smith 'unacceptable'

**Smith Inquest.** Liberal Leader Bob Rae calls out Conservatives on hypocrisy, 'dishonest' comments

Prime Minister Stephen Harper publicly criticized correctional authorities on Thursday for their handling of a disturbed teenager who choked to death in her cell five years ago, prompting opposition accusations of federal-government dishonesty.

The issue reached the House of Commons following the screening of disturbing jailhouse video at an inquest into the death of Ashley Smith this week that shows guards duct-taping her and drugging her against her will.

"The Ashley Smith case is obviously a terrible tragedy," Harper said.

Information has come to light that shows Corrections Canada's behaviour was "completely unacceptable," he told the House of Commons.

Outside the Commons, Liberal Leader Bob Rae accused the Conservative government of being "dishonest."

"This is a government that wanted to stop the showing of those videos," Rae said.

"This is a government that, every step of the way, attempted to keep Canadians from seeing what went on."

While federal lawyers lost a court battle to keep the videos under wraps, they are still fighting to limit the scope of the inquest, which would block scrutiny of what happened to Smith in prisons outside Ontario.

Harper said he would let "arguments between lawyers" play out without interference.

Smith choked to death as guards looked on in October 2007 at a prison in Kitchener. She had spent the past year of her life in segregation, shunted among prisons in five provinces.

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Ashley Smith is duct-taped to her seat on an airplane during a transfer from a Saskatoon prison on April 12, 2007. The protests of a now-dead teenager filled a courtroom Wednesday as surveillance videos were screened. THE CANADIAN PRESS

**Quebec probe**

**Also Thursday, Smith's family released documents their lawyer said showed a "shoddy" criminal investigation into how prison authorities in Quebec had treated Smith.**

- **Police findings.** While there may have been "deviations from internal procedure," they were minor, no excessive force was used, and the actions did not amount to anything criminal, the investigator concluded.
- **Medical findings.** As to whether the use of sedatives was unnecessary or abusive, police pointed the family to the College of Physicians. A report by a psychiatrist, Dr. Paul Beaudry, concluded there was no imminent risk to Smith's health or the safety of others.

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## Cancer study. Stem cells reverse chemo-induced infertility in monkeys

Scientists have long been searching for a way to preserve fertility in young boys left unable to father a child later in life after being treated for childhood cancer. That's because chemotherapy and radiation can destroy the stem cells in the testes that give rise to sperm with the onset of puberty.

Now researchers, using monkeys, have shown that samples of testicular tissue that have been frozen can be thawed and re-implanted following chemotherapy and begin producing sperm.

The researchers' work is described in the November issue of the journal Cell Stem Cell. THE CANADIAN PRESS

**The downside**

- Before attempting the procedure in humans, researchers must deal with the risk they could re-seed cancer cells into a testicle along with the stem-cell transplant.
- The procedure would not be an option for post-pubescent teens or men who did not store a semen sample prior to chemotherapy or radiation treatment.

**Radon gas danger**

### Health Canada urges tests in fall

Health Canada is urging Canadians to test their homes for radon, the second-leading cause of lung cancer after smoking.

The radioactive gas occurs naturally in the ground and can leak into homes through foundation cracks or gaps around pipes. It cannot be seen, smelled or tasted, but easy tests sold by most hardware stores can measure radon levels.

Health Canada suggests testing for three months starting in the fall. THE CANADIAN PRESS

# Study uncovers hundreds of apps to hook smokers

**Smart Health Project.** Pro-smoking programs discovered while developing apps for consumer health care and research

Public-health scientists trying to create smartphone applications to help smokers quit have stumbled on more than 100 apps they believe are a new route to hooking addicts.

The study found a wide-open world of "pro-smoking content including explicit cigarette-brand images are reaching millions of users, including teenagers and children." The 107 apps identified as pro-smoking included virtual cigarettes smoked by blowing on the mobile device's microphone, tobacco-store finders, games and brand explanations.

Researchers stopped short of tracing the home countries of the app developers, which governments may need to stop them. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Scientists working on applications to help smokers quit found 107 apps they believe are a new method of hooking addicts. KAREN BLEIER/AFP/GETTY IMAGES FILE

**An app for that**

- One free Google Play app for Android, Smoke Virtual Cigarette, has been downloaded more than one million times. Its developer, MJMS Solutions, runs a Swahili-language website.
- Other apps were designed as lit cigarettes that could be used as battery gauges, screen savers and virtual ashtrays. One allowed users to collect points for buying Marlboro cigarettes.
- Scientists pointed out that the pro-smoking apps "appear to be violating Article 13 of the World Health Organization Framework, which bans advertising and promotion of tobacco products in all media, including the Internet." That would also apply to countries that ban tobacco advertising; Canada is among them.

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# Suspicions abound that Putin may be ill

**Russia.** He avoids his Kremlin office, has cancelled foreign trips, may have been injured in recent publicity stunt with cranes

What ails Vladimir Putin?

The Russian leader whose image of physical vigour is key to his success has cancelled several foreign trips in recent weeks, postponed his annual live televised question-and-answer session with average Russians, and has rarely left his suburban residence outside Moscow.

A respected Russian newspaper claimed Thursday that a publicity stunt during which Putin tried to lead cranes on their migratory paths in a motorized hang-glider aggravated an old injury.

Putin's office denies it was the flight with cranes, insists it is just a pulled muscle and spins the situation, saying that athletes often get banged up.

Besides, it says, Putin's avoiding the Kremlin office so he doesn't tie up Moscow traffic with his motorcade — something that hasn't seemed to trouble him during his previous 12 years in power. Putin celebrated his 60th birthday in early October. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Russian President Putin braces himself against his chair as he arrives at the APEC Summit in Vladivostok on Sept. 9. JIM WATSON/POOL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Bosnian war

## Rape victims being ignored: Amnesty report

Amnesty International said Thursday it has urged authorities in Bosnia to provide adequate therapy and financial compensation to wartime rape victims and to prosecute their attackers.

Tens of thousands of women were raped during Bosnia's 1992-95 war involving the country's Bosniaks, Serbs and Croats.

Amnesty, which has called for such action in the past, said in its latest report that the rape victims, who live in the country's Serb-dominated mini-state of Bosnia, are being ignored by authorities. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Secrecy lifted. Israel admits it was behind Arafat deputy's death

Lifting a 25-year veil of secrecy, Israel acknowledged Thursday that it killed the deputy of Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat in 1988.

Khalil al-Wazir was killed during a seaborne raid in Tunisia.

Two of those involved in the operation now hold high political office — Defence Minister Ehud Barak and Vice Premier Moshe Yaalon. At the time, Barak was deputy military chief, and Yaalon was head of the Sayeret Matkal unit. Their precise roles in the operation were not divulged. Both men declined comment.

Israel has long been suspected of assassinating al-Wazir, better known as Abu Jihad. "I shot him with a long burst of fire," commando Nahum Lev told a newspaper before his own death in a 2000 accident. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**The deceased**

**Abu Jihad founded the Palestine Liberation Organization with Arafat and was blamed for a series of deadly attacks against Israelis.**

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# N.Y.C.: Comfort food soothes

**Manhattan.** Stranded and in the dark, Sandy-stricken residents take solace in the (not-always-healthy) basics, like chips, chicken-noodle soup and the company of friends

Jamie Sanders went to the grocery store in the aftermath of Superstorm Sandy with good intentions. Cucumbers and apples were on her list.

But her local supermarket hadn't gotten any new supplies — and with the prospect of working in her Upper East Side apartment for several days ahead, she joined the hordes of East Coast residents holed up in their homes who found comfort in the bottom of a crinkly bag, a brightly colored box or a perfect pint-sized cardboard container.

"There was some canned food left and some Oreos," the copywriter and beauty blogger said. "I do like Oreos, but these were an impulse buy. I saw they were Winter Oreos, with red cream and a snowman on top, and I had to try them."

Chips and salsa also went into the cart, although she would have preferred Doritos if any were left, and she sheepishly admitted to making a meal of some boxed macaroni and cheese, too.

Facebook and Twitter were full of similar mini-confessions of calories consumed while people were either left in the dark and trying to eat up what was deep in their freezer before it thawed, or making due with the shelf-stable, packaged foods that were in the grocery store after the meat and produce were gone.

Nancy Yates, a retired United Nations development officer who lives in desolate lower Manhattan, where thousands of people are still living without power, went shopping with neighbour Norma Fontane for comfort food at a bodega lit by flashlight and candlelight.

They picked up canned chicken-noodle soup and crackers, chocolate bars, chips and cookies — "to help the depression," Fontane joked.

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## Care for a gondola?

A woman walks in high water near the Rialto Bridge in Venice on Thursday. High tides have flooded Venice, leading Venetians and tourists to don high boots and use wooden walkways to cross St. Mark's Square and other areas under water. Flooding is common this time of year, though this water level, which reached a peak of 55 inches, was below the 63 inches recorded four years ago in the worst flooding in decades. LUIGI COSTANTINI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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# Astronauts go on a spacewalk to fix leak

**Solution.** The astronauts rerouted ammonia coolant lines, bypassing what they believe to be a leaking radiator

Two spacewalking astronauts worked on a leaky radiator system outside the International Space Station on Thursday, just hours after barely dodging a menacing piece of orbiting junk.

NASA ordered the space station to change position Wednesday evening to avoid a fragment from a communication satellite that was destroyed in a high-speed collision three years ago.

Thrusters on a docked Russian supply ship were fired to move the orbiting lab out of harm's way. But a computer error caused the thrusters to malfunction and the space station did not reach the desired altitude. NASA officials said the space station and its six residents were safe despite their lower-than-intended orbit.

Station commander Sunita Williams and Japanese astronaut Akihiko Hoshide rerouted ammonia coolant lines and bypassed a radiator believed to be leaking. They isolated the suspect radiator to help flight controllers determine in the coming days whether that, indeed, is the source of the ammonia seepage. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**Out of this world**

- **Hours of experience.** The spacewalk lasted six and a half hours and bumped Sunita Williams into the No. 5 position of most experienced spacewalkers. She has spent 50 hours and 40 minutes out in the vacuum of space over seven spacewalks, the most by a woman.

Space-station commander Sunita Williams, centre, works on a leaky radiator system outside the International Space Station on Thursday just hours after barely dodging a menacing piece of orbiting junk. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS


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**Bulgaria**

## Europe's oldest town unearthed: Archeologist

A prehistoric town unearthed in eastern Bulgaria is the oldest urban settlement found to date in Europe, a Bulgarian archaeologist said Thursday.

Vasil Nikolov, a professor from Bulgaria's National Institute of Archaeology, said the stone walls excavated by his team near the town of Provadia, Bulgaria, are estimated to date between 4,700 and 4,200 B.C. He said the walls, which are 10 feet high and six-and-a-half feet thick, are believed to be the earliest and most massive fortifications from Europe's prehistory.

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**Cross-border action**

## Love leads to police chase

Mounties in Osoyoos, B.C., say the actions of two U.S. men suggest that if love is blind, apparently it's not that smart, either.

RCMP Cpl. Jason Bayda says the men were denied entry to Canada because of their past criminal records, yet they still decided to jump the border but, once spotted, led officers on a Hollywood-style chase through Osoyoos, running across rooftops and leaping backyard fences.

Love is a strong incentive and Bayda says one of the men simply wanted to hook up with a former flame whose U.S. visa had expired, and travel with her to Mexico.

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## Christians honour the dead

A vendor sells masks as Filipinos flock to Manila's North Cemetery to honor the departed in observance of All Saints' Day on Thursday in Manila, Philippines. As with most Christians all over the world, Filipinos mark the yearly tradition of All Saints' Day by offering prayers, flowers and lighting candles at graves of the departed in cemeteries and funeral parks. BULLIT MARQUEZ/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# Surfer recovering after fighting off great white

**Shark attack.**
California man suffered lacerations but managed to beat his way to freedom

A California surfer who survived a shark attack says he punched the beast in the head until it finally released him.

Scott Stephens says the great white pulled him underwater Tuesday near the entrance to Humboldt Bay, about 250 miles north of San Francisco.

The animal let him go only after receiving the blows to its head.

Doctors say Stephens suffered at least seven deep lacerations, but none of his vital organs were damaged.

He required more than 100 staples to seal multiple gashes and was in fair condition Wednesday.

The 25-year-old thanked the doctors who operated on him and strangers who came to his aid. He says he plans to surf again. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Scott Stephens shows his battle scars Wednesday. SHAUN WALKER/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Tech wars

## Apple not sorry enough, says British court

British judges say Apple needs to apologize again for falsely claiming that Samsung copied its iPad, the latest episode in the tech rivals' world-spanning patent battle.

Apple Inc. was ordered to print an apology on its website after British judges rejected its claim that Samsung ripped off its designs when creating the Galaxy Tab. Apple did post an apology, but judges at London's High Court ruled Thursday that it didn't go far enough.
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Cocaine trade

## Brazilian police find drug tunnel to university

Police say they found a 15-metre tunnel used by drug traffickers to deliver cocaine to university students in Brazil's largest city.

Police Col. Cesar Augusto Morelli said the tunnel connected the ringleader's home to a cocaine lab and then to a point close to a wall separating the Sao Remo slum from the University of Sao Paulo campus.

He says traffickers would emerge from the tunnel and sell drugs through a hole in the wall.
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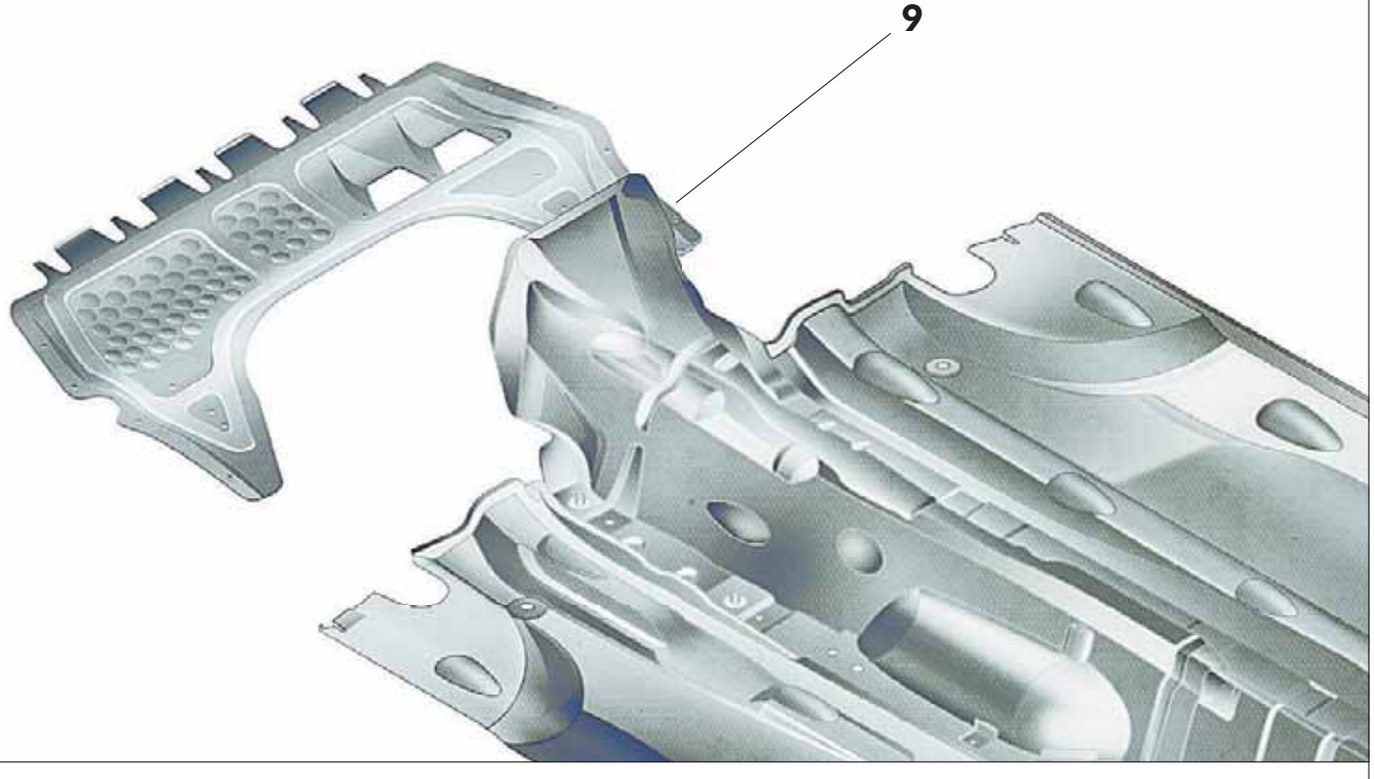


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## U.S. car sales weather October

Most major automakers reported sales increases in October despite losing at least three days of business to the punishing rain and wind from Superstorm Sandy. Toyota said its sales rose almost 16 per cent for the month, while Volkswagen reported another strong month with sales up 22 per cent. Chrysler sales rose 10 per cent. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# Pointing the finger: Scanner tracks employee whereabouts

**Modern-day time card.**
Toronto law firm's use of biometric monitoring has staff up in arms

Howard Borlack, founding parter at McCague Borlack in Toronto, stands by a machine that scans part of a finger. The law firm will fingerprint support staff to track their work hours. VINCE TALOTTA/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

The days of sneaking out for three-hour lunch breaks will soon be over at a Bay Street law firm after it decided to install fingerprint-scanning technology to monitor its employees' comings and goings.

Last month, McCague Borlack LLP announced plans for a revamped security system that will require staff (except lawyers who spend much of their time with clients) to clock in and out of the office with a finger swipe, keeping track of morning late-comers or those who try to jump-start their weekends by slipping out early on a Friday.

"Some people were abusing the system," said founding partner Howard Borlack, 58. "We had people taking two to three hours for lunch and we had no way of knowing.... Some people were complaining."

Other Toronto firms use security passes and honour systems to keep track of time worked.

McCague Borlack, which focuses mostly on insurance law and employs about 200 people, has gone a step further with a system that not only provides office access via fingerprint, but also records employees as they enter and leave.

Come mid-November, when the system is expected to go live, the office will be equipped with finger-scanning machines that will keep a rolling record of the time spent in the office.

Carleton University law professor Michael MacNeil, who specializes in legal issues surrounding privacy and surveillance, said the fingerprinting system is just one example of the way workplaces are using technology to monitor and maximize productivity.

But legislation has lagged behind the trend, he said, leaving more questions than answers over what constitutes an invasion of privacy in the workplace.

"There's a lot of it going on," he said. "It's an area where the law is underdeveloped."

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**Staff opposition**

**The plan has drawn outrage among a group of bloggers who identify themselves as McCague Borlack secretaries.**

- On their "Finger Campaign" website, the group accuses the firm of ostracizing secretaries and copy-room staff.
- They called the system an "insult to our human dignity."

# China. Refusing Nexen deal could cost Canada

Canada can expect a chilly reception and damaged relations with Beijing if the Harper government dents China's pride by refusing a $15.1-billion bid for a piece of this country's oilpatch, observers say.

And other foreign investors will have occasion to pause if state-owned China National Offshore Oil Corp. is blocked in the friendly takeover of Calgary-based Nexen, they add.

Those investors would question Ottawa's commitment to open markets and the government would take political heat from all sides for once again not having a clear strategy for dealing with foreign takeovers.

Stock values among Canadian resource firms would almost certainly fall, some hard.

**Quoted**

**"I don't know how you construct a narrative to explain saying no to this transaction."**

**John Manley, head of the Canadian Council of Chief Executives** and former Liberal industry minister

Under the Investment Canada Act, deals involving WTO member countries valued at more than $330 million must be a "net benefit" to Canada, but just what that means is unclear. THE CANADIAN PRESS

# Public pensions. Reform must go further: Report

A new report from a leading Canadian think-tank says legislation to reform public pensions is still too generous to federal employees and MPs, and too risky for taxpayers.

The C.D. Howe Institute report says the government is underestimating the plans' liabilities by about 40 per cent, or $100 billion, so taxpayers are on the hook for more than advertised.

The report says the changes are an improvement on the current system, but need to go further before an equitable distribution of benefits and risks is achieved.

Under the new law, public servants, members of Parliament and senators will contribute roughly half of the reported cost service of the plans.

To reach a true 50-50 split between employee and taxpayer obligations, the pension plans would need to be radically altered, the think-tank says, or participant contributions would need to rise further.

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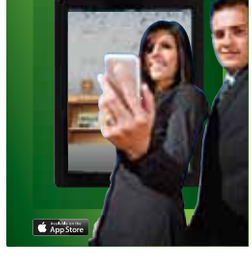
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# LET'S KEEP AIR CANADA OUT OF THIS ONE, HUH?

THE LIST
Mike Benhaim
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**1** **G-strings.** Among businesses being reimbursed for losses incurred during 2010's G20 summit in Toronto is the Zanzibar strip club. Not only did the bar suffer damages from rioters, but they also experienced an unprecedented dip in revenue from the absence of politicos.

**2** **Mile-high madness.** Maygan Sensenberger wanted to be famous. Her journey began last August at age 22, when she married then-68-year-old Liberal Senator Rod Zimmer. One year later, almost to the day, during a flight to Saskatoon, a lovers' spat landed her in jail. She was charged with endangering the safety of an aircraft, uttering threats and causing a disturbance. Sensenberger says she still "plans to be big," but does not want to be known as the "crazy Air Canada lady." That's fair. Let's keep Air Canada out of this.

**3** **Papa Can You Hear Me?** Barbra Streisand began her Canadian tour last week to sold-out crowds. The show apparently begins with a video montage of Babs' childhood and early career to the tune of You'll Never Know, as Streisand emerges to a welcoming public. If you listen closely, you can hear at least one person saying, "$1,000 a ticket, and I'm watching her home movies!"

**4** **Space invaders.** Austrian daredevil Felix Baumgartner said in an interview that sending machines to Mars is pointless. He says our tax dollars could be spent more wisely, and that people should decide, "Are you willing to spend all this money to go to Mars?" Well, maybe not to go, but if I could send Bristol Palin and the cast of Jersey Shore, count me in.

**5** **Who cares?** Kim Kardashian wore a $2,000 waist-length blond wig with her sexy mermaid costume for a Halloween party last week, and is now asking her more than 16 million Twitter followers if she should dye it for real. Perhaps the real question is why she even has 16 million followers? I'm thinking her time would be better spent trying to cultivate a talent of any kind.

**6** **Adult ed.** Twenty-six-year-old Canadian rapper Drake completed his high school diploma and dedicated it to his mom in a heartfelt speech. "I'll sleep a little better tonight knowing that I found a way to follow through." Congratulations buddy. Next stop: Harvard.

**7** **Ball talk.** NBA basketball is back with a new venue in Brooklyn and improved Celtic and Laker teams to challenge 2012 juggernauts Miami and OKC. A great time for hockey fans to either become basketball fans or start talking to their wives.

**8** **Car-tunes.** This week in 1969, the No. 1 song on the U.K. singles chart was Sugar, Sugar by The Archies. The song was co-written and co-sung by Canada's own Andy Kim. Sorry to disappoint those of you who thought it was actually sung by Archie, but he and Jughead were hungover.

**9** **Hey, soul sista.** A homegrown R&B diva is emerging from our midst. Torontonians will see Andria Simone perform tracks from her debut CD, Nothing Comes Easy, at the Drake next week. But she'll be making the national rounds soon enough. You heard it here first.

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# It's a Hip replacement

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Scalpel , I mean script

## ER doc is Ahead by a Century

Director Max Montalvo, right, in a Dodgers hat, Tragically Hip drummer Johnny Fay, wearing a sombrero, and guitarist Rob Baker, to the right of Fay, work with two actors in the foreground in the music video Lookahead, at Milagro Restaurant in Toronto, in this photo taken at a recent filming.

Montalvo is a staff emergency doctor in Kingston, Ont., and in whatever free time he can carve out, he's a filmmaker, directing music videos by Sarah Harmer, Stripper's Union and, most recently, The Tragically Hip. THE CANADIAN PRESS

45 years old

**"I sometimes think that filming can be as exhausting and challenging as if you're working a busy string of shifts ... but as a friend of mine said one time, 'The difference is no one is clapping after you sew up their finger.'"**

Max Montalvo, emergency-room doctor, filmmaker

Their music at work

## Working two jobs is not tragic at all

Montalvo has been practising emergency medicine for a decade, while his filmmaking career took off more recently when he directed 2010's El Payo, a documentary about northern Ontario flamenco guitarist David Phillips, who died in 2002.

Montalvo met Tragically Hip guitarist Rob Baker through mutual friends and gradually developed a relationship with the rest of the band.

Still, it was a special joy for Montalvo to watch and shoot the recording sessions for the band's recently released disc, Now For Plan A.

Determined not to use the resulting footage for a typical promotional clip, Montalvo instead cut an arty, wry, black-and-white video that runs more than 11 minutes, includes almost no English and features a performance by Canadian metal outfit Kooznetz superimposed over images of the Hip recording.

The Hip loved the video and commissioned Montalvo to helm clips for two more songs. For the driving At Transformation, Montalvo created an oblique visual collage, while he took a different approach for Lookahead, released this week. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Online

Check out the video at metronews.ca

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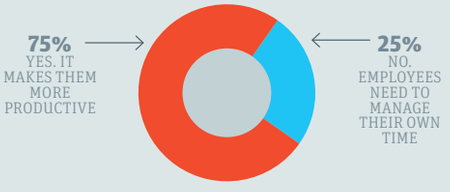
## Should companies do more to help their employees find work-life balance?

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# MAYOR WATSON: OTTAWA'S FUTURE SHOULDN'T BE A CRAP SHOOT!

Q: Why are Ontario Lottery and Gaming Corporation (OLG) officials forcing municipalities to make quick, bad decisions about slot machines across Ontario?

**A: It's an aggressive sales tactic to build casinos without any meaningful consultation.**

Q: Is Mayor Jim Watson rolling the dice with Ottawa's future?

**A: Yes! Meanwhile, Kingston, Hamilton, Toronto and others have stood up to the OLG to debate the merits of casino development.**

Q: Doesn't the Rideau Carleton Raceway already provide Ottawa with more than $5 million per year in revenue?

**A: Yes! In fact, province-wide, Slots-at-Racetracks generate $1.1 billion dollars per year in revenue for the Provincial Government that is used to support healthcare and education.**

Q: Why won't the OLG Toronto bureaucrats let Ottawa keep slots at the racetrack?

**A: They're fixated on building an expensive downtown casino instead.**

Q: Will this decision devastate the robust agriculture economy in Eastern Ontario?

**A: Yes! The ongoing horse breeding and racing at Rideau Carleton provide hundreds of local jobs alone.**

The racetrack's financial success, annual growth and support for the city is at risk because of Jim *let's-make-a-deal* Watson's response to his Toronto friends from the OLG.

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Denzel Washington yet again takes on the role of a hero with a dark side in Flight. HANDOUT

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RICHARD CROUSE AND MARK BRESLIN

# Flight crashes in its tale about addiction

**Uneven course.** Ned Ehrbar fills in for Mark Breslin and reviews Flight, a film that struggles to set a consistent tone

**Richard:** Ned, is there another A-list leading man who explores the dark sides of their characters as often as Washington? Will Smith and Tom Cruise will occasionally let the heroic side of their on-screen personas take a back seat, but Washington revels in mucking around in the mud. From Training Day to American Gangster and Safe House, he crafts complex characters you wouldn't want to sit next to on the bus. Do you think this is Oscar worthy?

**Ned:** As far as A-listers in love with the dark side, it's pretty much Washington and Leo DiCaprio. And Washington gets plenty murky here — so much so that it made me wonder if we'd be rooting for this character at all if it were played by someone else. Let's face it, the booze- and coke-addled pilot he plays here only has one attractive characteristic: Looking and sounding like Denzel Washington. As for Oscar-worthy, I'm not so sure.

**RC:** I thought he managed to subtly capture the ego and hubris that allows his hotshot character to present a sober face to the public, even though the film's visual language is frequently not as refined. A close-up of Washington's hand grasping a mini bottle of vodka and the accompanying swoosh sound looks like something that should be in a commercial.

**NE:** The tone of the film in general seemed to be all over the place. Who knows, maybe the whole film was supposed to seem drunk? In any event, it didn't work for me. His hitting rock bottom is played for laughs, and Kelly Riley — as the recovering heroin addict he shacks up with for some reason — seems to be literally in a different movie for the first 30 minutes or so. And as movies about alcoholism go, it doesn't do Flight any favours to come out soon after the more nuanced Smashed.

**RC:** I think Smashed is a much more touching story about addiction. As much as I enjoyed Washington, I wish the movie had been more concise. It flits around a half-dozen themes before the end.

**NE:** The movie left me cold. It starts great — with thrilling take-off and crash-landing sequences, but it's flat and uneven from then on.

**Synopsis**

**Denzel Washington plays a troubled airline pilot who safely lands a malfunctioning plane, saving 96 of the 102 passengers and crew. Hailed as a hero at first, soon his unsavoury personal habits bring him under suspicion. Was the malfunction that brought the plane down of a mechanical or personal nature?**

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- Ned: ●●○○○

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# MGM's woes a blessing in disguise for Skyfall director

**More time with Bond.** While his project was in hiatus, Sam Mendes spent nine months fine tuning the script

Judi Dench chats with Sam Mendes on the set of Skyfall. FRANCOIS DUHAMEL/MGM

Director Sam Mendes has been working on Skyfall, the 23rd James Bond film, for quite some time — thanks in large part to parent studio MGM's financial woes that halted pre-production for nearly a year. So what did the Oscar-winning director learn during his extended tenure with the franchise?

MGM's bankruptcy issues were a blessing in disguise.

"We had a stroke of luck on this movie, ultimately, which was at the time one of the most frustrating things, which was the temporary bankruptcy of MGM, which for me was a bit of a nightmare because I'd really prepped the movie and was ready to go into full-scale pre-production, and we had to halt everything, if you remember, for something like nine months," Mendes explains. "But in that time, we worked on the script. I knew every scene intimately, and we kept working. We had two weeks of rehearsals, which is a relatively new thing for the Bond franchise. We had a read-through of the script, and (series producer) Barbara (Broccoli) said to me, 'It's the first read-through we've ever had of a Bond movie!'"

Referencing classic Bond has to be handled carefully.

"I felt about the homage elements that you have to earn them. I think if you put them in at the wrong time, they're going to strike a false note," he says. "It's also true that in making a Bond movie, you have to rediscover your 13-year-old self."

Before Daniel Craig, the franchise had made a few wrong turns.

"The thing about Bond for me, watching the old movies, is that there was a point around Moonraker where it lost some of its thriller roots and went into a sort of action-adventure, almost travelogue type of feeling," Mendes admits. "Bond the character became kind of the Sellotape that tied it all together. It was like, 'How can we get Bond from Rio to Venice and from Venice to a cable car? Because these are the big sequences that we have to make work.' He almost from that moment on had no journey at all. I'm being unfair to some of the movies in between, but I felt like in Casino Royale, Bond was back at the centre of the movie," Mendes says.

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**"Because of the nature of the iconography surrounding his life and the extent to which he is mythologized and carved in stone, it's very difficult to imagine that one could ever approach him, to get close enough...**

**"I was very shy about the idea of taking on this. Plus, I like working here. I've been tremendously privileged in being able to work in (the U.S.) over the years. The idea of desecrating the memory of the most-beloved president this country has ever known was just kind of a fearful thing to me."**

Daniel Day-Lewis on taking on the role of Abraham Lincoln in Steven Spielberg's new film Lincoln.

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**Action**

## Manborg

**Director.** Steven Kostanski

**Stars.** Matthew Kennedy, Adam Brooks

To love Steven Kostanski's Manborg is to first understand the manifesto of its creative team, the collective known as Astron-6. This is an attempt by the wiseacre Canadian whiz kids to produce the kind of grotty, campy, over-the-top genre romps that haunted video shelves in the '80s. And it all works. Telling the story of the evil bloodsucking Draculon and his adversary, a cyborg named Manborg in the cheap looking retro-future, Kostanski fills his frames with dirty humour, nickel-and-dime gore and bargain basement FX.

CHRIS ALEXANDER

**Documentary**

## Diana Vreeland: The Eye has to Travel

**Director.** Lisa Immordino Vreeland

**Stars.** Diana Vreeland, Anjelica Huston

The late-legendary fashionista that helped popularize both blue jeans and bikinis is the subject of the charming documentary Diana Vreeland: The Eye Has to Travel. While filled with energetic anecdotal interviews and archive footage, the slightly scant exploration of her sometimes tyrannical behaviour as editor of Vogue/Harper's Bazaar is curious but given the director is her granddaughter-in-law, the tribute remains satisfying. STEVE GOW

**Animated**

## Wreck-It Ralph

**Director.** Rich Moore

**Stars.** John C. Reilly, Sarah Silverman

Wreck-It Ralph, the bad guy of Fix-It Felix Jr. — the most popular game in the arcade — is suffering a midlife crisis. After 30 years of wrecking the video apartment building only to watch Felix (Jack McBrayer) take credit for fixing it, Ralph (Reilly) is in an existential funk. After an inspiring Bad Guys Anonymous meeting, Ralph quits Wreck-It Ralph for Hero's Duty in search of cred. It's a can–do story wrapped in a retro gallery of video games and characters. But without breathing room, it drags like a sugar downer in the third act.

ANNE BRODIE

**Action**

## The Man With The Iron Fists

**Director.** RZA

**Stars.** Russell Crowe, Lucy Liu

Coming from a die-hard kung fu fan and an ex-rapper, you really would expect nothing less from The Man with the Iron Fists, the directorial debut of the Wu-Tang Clans' RZA. The film is a great example of a contemporary martial arts movie. The movie follows the story of a lonely blacksmith (RZA) who unites with warriors and an assassin to destroy a group of traitors on a path of destruction. This film certainly isn't perfect, but it's fun, over-the-top and visually pleasing.

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Cloud Atlas encompasses six stories over a span of 500 years and features an enormous cast of A-list stars playing multiple roles. This means it's also very long — 172 minutes — and carries with it the ambitions of an epic. So here are five other movies with running times adding to their sense of importance.

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# 5 movies that will clear your calendar

## Lawrence of Arabia (1962 and 1989)

The very definition of an epic. You'll see various running times out there, all of which flirt with the four-hour mark. But the 1989 reconstruction of David Lean's classic wound up being close to its original length of 216 minutes. Breathtaking in its scope and hugely influential with its gorgeously grand, sweeping vistas, it won seven Academy Awards, including best picture. There's a lot of ground to cover and Lawrence was a complicated guy. Besides, who wouldn't want to look at Peter O'Toole for that long?

## Apocalypse Now Redux (2001)

As if 1979's Apocalypse Now weren't long enough, Francis Ford Coppola added 49 minutes of never-before-seen footage and re-released it as a 197-minute director's cut, the version he always wanted the world to see. This includes more footage of the beach attack scene and the much-talked-about French plantation scene. While it's fascinating to see what Coppola deleted from the original film, he didn't always improve his master work, and at times, he weakened it. (We also could have included the first two Godfather movies here, which clock in at 175 minutes and 200 minutes, respectively, and deserve every second.)

## Magnolia (1999)

I loved this movie when it came out, and I love it still, and the fact that it's over three hours long only magnifies the enormity of the emotions — the way Paul Thomas Anderson intertwines the various characters' lives and expertly times their highs and lows. It's big and beautiful, fluid and messy — a profound exploration of love and loneliness in the most prosaic of places, the San Fernando Valley. You could spend 188 minutes just sitting on the 101 freeway, trying to get from Studio City to Woodland Hills. This is far more compelling.

## Inland Empire (2006)

Back when I reviewed this, I wrote that it might be David Lynch's masterpiece, or it might be a total mess. What I was sure of was the fact that it changed my mood for the rest of the day — it stuck with me, messed with me — and I couldn't ignore that. While it features many of Lynch's regular players (Laura Dern, Harry Dean Stanton, Justin Theroux) and his trademark disjointed, nightmarish visuals, it's also a defiantly plotless mixture of bunny rabbits, dark hallways and dancing prostitutes. That it runs 180 minutes adds to its hypnotic nature.

## Heat (1995)

Michael Mann's crime saga takes on an epic, operatic quality as it sprawls across 170 minutes and throughout Los Angeles. This will go down as Mann's masterpiece — although The Insider, which is also pretty damn long at 157 minutes, is also pretty great. Everything he does best is on display here: The stylized visuals, gritty violence and complex characters who occupy a murky moral area. Since we're keeping track of time, the coolly precise bank robbery that Robert De Niro, Val Kilmer and Tom Sizemore pull off, followed by that famous shootout in the heart of downtown, comes at the halfway point.

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The Perks of Being a Wallflower (14A) Fri 3:20-6:30-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:20-3:20-6:30-9:30 Mon 3:20-6:30-9:30 Tue 12:20-3:20-6:30-9:30 Wed-Thu 3:20-6:30-9:30
Seven Psychopaths (18A) Fri 3:25-6:40-9:20 Sat-Sun 12:25-3:25-6:40-9:20 Mon 3:25-6:40-9:20 Tue-Thu 12:25-3:25-6:40-9:20

### Mayfair Theatre
### 1074 Bank St.

The Dark Knight Rises (PG) Fri 6:30 Sat-Sun 6
Dredd (18A) Wed-Thu 9:30
Killer Joe (STC) Mon-Tue 9:30
Manborg (STC) Sat 11:15
Oslo, August 31st (14A) Fri 9:45 Sat-Sun 9:15
Won't Back Down (G) Mon-Wed 7

### Mayfair Theatre Orleans
### 250 Centrum Blvd.

End of Watch (18A) Fri 4-6:45-9 Sat-Sun 1:30-3:30-6:45-9 Mon 6:45-9 Tue 4-6:45-9 Wed-Thu 6:45-9
Frankenweenie (PG) Sat-Sun 1-3
The Master (14A) Fri 3:45-8:45 Sat-Mon 8:45 Tue 3:45-8:45 Wed-Thu 8:45
The Perks of Being a Wallflower (14A) Fri-Thu 6:30
Robot & Frank (PG) Fri 4:15-6:15 Sat-Sun 1:15-6:15 Mon 6:15 Tue 4:15-6:15 Wed-Thu 6:15
Trouble With the Curve (PG) Fri 8:15 Sat-Sun 3:15-8:15 Mon-Thu 8:15

### Ottawa Family Cinema
### 710 Broadview Ave.

Hotel Transylvania 3D (PG) Sat 2
No Films Showing Today (STC) Fri Sun-Thu

### Rainbow Cinemas
### St. Laurent Centre, 1200 St. Laurent Blvd.

The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel (PG) Fri-Thu 10:25-6:40
The Bourne Legacy (14A) Fri-Thu 6:30-9:10
Brave (PG) Fri-Thu 12:10-2:20-4:40
Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days (G) Fri-Thu 10:35-2:25
End of Watch (18A) Fri-Thu 9:55-6:50-9:20
Ice Age: Continental Drift (PG) Fri-Thu 10:15-12:20-2:30-4:30
Inescapable (STC) Fri-Thu 12:25-5-9:25
The Odd Life of Timothy Green (G) Fri-Thu 10:05-2:40-7:05
ParaNorman (PG) Fri-Thu 12:30-7:10
The Perks of Being a Wallflower (14A) Fri-Thu 4:50-9:05
Won't Back Down (G) Fri-Wed 1-4-9:15 Thu 4-9:15 Thu 1

### Rideau Centre Cinemas
### 50 Rideau St.

The Man With the Iron Fists (18A) Fri 4:10-6:30-9:10 Sat-Sun 1:50-4:10-6:30-9:10 Mon-Thu 6:30-9:10
Silent Hill: Revelation 3D (18A) Fri 4:20-6:50-9:30 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:20-6:50-9:30 Mon-Thu 6:50-9:30
Wreck-It Ralph (PG) Fri 4 Sat-Sun 1:30
Wreck-It Ralph 3D (PG) Fri 6:40-9:20 Sat-Sun 4-6:40-9:20 Mon-Thu 6:40-9:20

### South Keys
### 2214 Bank St.

Argo (14A) Fri-Thu 1:05-3:55-6:45-9:55
Benji (STC) Sat 11
Chasing Mavericks (PG) Fri-Thu 5:15-10:05
Cloud Atlas (14A) Fri-Sun 1:10-4:50-8:30 Mon-Thu 1-4:35-8:10
Flight (18A) Fri-Thu 12:55-4-7:05-10:10
Fun Size (PG) Fri-Thu 12:20-2:40-7:25
Here Comes the Boom (PG) Fri-Thu 12-2:30-5:05-7:30-10
Hotel Transylvania (PG) Fri-Thu 11:40-2
Hotel Transylvania 3D (PG) Fri-Thu 4:30-7-9:20
The Man With the Iron Fists (18A) Fri-Thu 12:35-3-5:25-7:50-10:15
Paranormal Activity 4 (14A) Fri-Thu 1:15-3:30-5:45-8-10:15
Pitch Perfect (PG) Fri-Thu 11:30-2:05-4:40-7:10-9:45
Silent Hill: Revelation 3D (18A) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:10-5:30-7:45-10:10
Sinister (14A) Fri-Thu 4:55-9:40
Taken 2 (14A) Fri-Thu 12:30-2:55-7:55
Wreck-It Ralph (PG) Fri-Thu 11:50
Wreck-It Ralph 3D (PG) Fri-Thu 2:25-5-7:35-10:05

### Cinéma des Galeries d'Aylmer
### 400 boul. Wilfrid-Lavigne

Fun Size (G) Fri-Sun 12:50-3:10-6:50-9:10 Mon 6:50 Tue 12:50-3:10-6:50-9:10 Wed-Thu 6:50-9:10
Les mots (G) Tue 1-3:30 Wed-Thu 7
Paranormal Activity 4 (13+) Fri-Sun 1:10-3:30-7:10-9:30 Mon 7:10 Tue 1:10-3:30-7:10-9:30 Wed-Thu 9:30
Silent Hill: Revelation 3D (STC) Fri-Sun 12:40-3:10-6:40-9:10 Mon 6:40 Tue 12:40-3:10-6:40-9:10 Wed-Thu 6:40-9:20
Wreck-It Ralph (STC) Fri-Sun 1-7 Mon 7 Tue 1-7 Wed-Thu 7
Wreck-It Ralph 3D (STC) Fri-Sun 3:20-9:20 Tue 3:20-9:20 Wed-Thu 9:20

### Ciné-starz
### 1100 boul. Maloney Ouest

La Drôle de vie de Timothy Green (G) Fri-Sun 1:40-3:30-7:10 Mon-Thu 12-1:50-7:05-9
L'affaire Dumont (13+) Fri-Sun 5:15-7:20-9:25 Mon-Thu 1:45-4-6:15-8:25
L'ère de glace: La dérive des continents (G) Fri-Sun 12-1:40-3:20-6:45 Mon-Thu 12-3:40-5:20
Looper (13+) Fri-Sun 5:20-7:25-9:30 Mon-Thu 1:45-7:20-9:25
Madagascar 3 - Bons baisers d'Europe (G) Fri-Sun 12
La maison au bout de la rue (13+) Fri-Sun 5:20-9 Mon-Thu 1:50-7:20-9:10
ParaNorman (G) Fri-Sun 12
Rebelle (13+) Fri-Sun 12-1:45-3:30-5 Mon-Thu 12-3:50-5:35
Sur la piste du Marsupilami (G) Fri-Sun 1:40-3:30-8:25 Mon-Thu 12-3:40-5:30

### Gatineau 9
### 120 boul. de l'Hôpital

Hotel Transylvanie (G) Fri 7:25 Sat-Sun 1:20-7:25 Mon 7:25 Tue 1:20-7:25 Wed-Thu 7:25
L'enlèvement 2 (13+) Fri 6:40 Sat-Sun 12:40-6:40 Mon 6:40 Tue 12:40-6:40 Wed-Thu 6:40
L'homme aux poings de fer (13+) Fri 7:10-9:15 Sat-Sun 1:10-3:15-7:10-9:15 Mon 7:10-9:15 Tue 1:10-3:15-7:10-9:15 Wed-Thu 7:10-9:15
Les mondes de Ralph (STC) Fri 9:35 Sat-Sun 3:40-9:35 Mon 9:35 Tue 3:40-9:35 Wed-Thu 9:35
Les mondes de Ralph 3D (STC) Fri 7 Sat-Sun 1-7 Mon 7 Tue 1-7 Wed-Thu 7
Sinistre (13+) Fri 9 Sat-Sun 3-9 Mon 9 Tue 3-9 Wed-Thu 9
Tout ce que tu possèdes (G) Fri 7:05-9:10 Sat-Sun 1:05-3:10-7:05-9:10 Mon 7:05-9:10 Tue 1:05-3:10-7:05-9:10 Wed-Thu 7:05-9:10
Vol (13+) Fri 6:30-9:25 Sat-Sun 12:30-3:30-6:30-9:25 Mon 6:30-9:25 Tue 12:30-3:30-6:30-9:25 Wed-Thu 6:30-9:25
À la poursuite de Mavericks (STC) Fri 8:45 Sat-Sun 2:45-8:45 Mon 8:45 Tue 2:45-8:45 Wed-Thu 8:45
Ça va faire boom (G) Fri 6:20 Sat-Sun 12:20-6:20 Mon 6:20 Tue 12:20-6:20 Wed-Thu 6:20

### StarCité Hull
### 115 boul. du Plateau,

Activité paranormale 4 (13+) Fri-Sun 12:45-3-5:15-7:30-9:45 Mon 7:30-9:45 Tue 12:45-3-5:15-7:30-9:45 Wed 9:45 Thu 7:30-9:45
Argo (G) Fri 1:40-4:30-7:20-10:15 Sat 11-1:40-4:30-7:20-10:15 Sun 1:40-4:30-7:20-10:15 Mon 7:20-10:15 Tue 1:40-4:30-7:20-10:15 Wed-Thu 7:20-10:15
Arthur et la vengeance de Maltazard (G) Sat 11 Benji (STC) Sat 11
Chasing Mavericks (STC) Fri-Sun 3:05-10:15 Mon 10:15 Tue 3:05-10:15 Wed-Thu 10:15 Cloud Atlas (STC) Fri 12:25-3-6:35-10:10 Sat 11:25-12:25-3-6:35-10:10 Sun 12:25-2:30-6:05-9:40 Mon 8 Tue 12:25-2:30-6:05-9:40 Wed-Thu 8
Flight (13+) Fri-Sat 1:25-4:30-7:35-10:40 Sun 12:55-4-7:05-10:10 Mon 7:05-10:10 Tue 12:55-4-7:05-10:10 Wed-Thu 7:05-10:10
Fun Size (G) Fri-Sun 12:50-5:45-8 Mon 8 Tue 12:50-5:45-8 Wed-Thu 8
Here Comes the Boom (G) Fri-Sat 12:30-3:05-5:40-8:15-10:50 Sun 12:30-3:05-7:15-9:50 Mon 7:15-9:50 Tue 12:30-3:05-7:15-9:50 Wed-Thu 7:15-9:50
Hotel Transylvanie (G) Fri-Sun 12:40-3 Tue 12:40-3
Hotel Transylvanie 3D (G) Fri-Sun 5:20-7:40-9:55 Mon 7:40-9:55 Tue 5:20-7:40-9:55 Wed-Thu 7:40-9:55
L'enlèvement 2 (13+) Fri-Sun 12:35-2:55-5:15-7:35-9:55 Mon 7:35-9:55 Tue 12:35-2:55-5:15-7:35-9:55 Wed-Thu 7:35-9:55
Looper (13+) Fri 2-4:45-7:30-10:15 Sat 11:15-2-4:45-7:30-10:15 Sun 2-4:45-7:30-10:15 Mon 7:30-10:15 Tue 2-4:45-7:30-10:15 Wed 7:30-10:15 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1:30
The Man With the Iron Fists (13+) Fri 1:05-3:30-5:55-8:20-10:45 Sat 11-1:05-3:30-5:55-8:20-10:45 Sun 1:05-3:30-7:45-10:05 Mon 7:45-10:05 Tue 1:05-3:30-7:45-10:05 Wed-Thu 7:45-10:05
Les mondes de Ralph (STC) Fri-Sat 12:20 Sun 12 Thu 1
Les mondes de Ralph 3D (STC) Fri-Sat 2:55-5:30-8:05-10:35 Sun 2:35-5:10-7:45-10:20 Mon 7:05-9:40 Tue 2:35-5:10-7:45-10:20 Wed-Thu 7:05-9:40
Paranormal Activity 4 (13+) Fri-Sat 4-6:15-8:30-10:45 Sun 4-7:55-10:10 Mon 7:55-10:10 Tue 4-7:55-10:10 Wed-Thu 7:55-10:10
Silent Hill: Revelation 3D (STC) Fri-Sat 1:20-3:40-6-8:20-10:40 Sun 1:20-3:40-7:50-10:05 Mon 7:50-10:05 Tue 1:20-3:40-7:50-10:05 Wed-Thu 7:50-10:05
Skyfall (13+) Thu 7-10:15
Taken 2 (13+) Fri-Sat 1:20-3:40-6-8:20-10:45 Sun 1:20-3:40-7:25-9:45 Mon 7:25-9:45 Tue 1:20-3:40-7:25-9:45 Wed-Thu 7:25-9:45
Vol (13+) Fri-Sun 1-4:05-7:10-10:15 Mon 7:10-10:15 Tue 1-4:05-7:10-10:15 Wed-Thu 7:10-10:15
Wreck-It Ralph (STC) Fri-Sat 12 Sun 12:20 Tue 12:20
Wreck-It Ralph 3D (STC) Fri-Sat 2:35-5:10-7:45-10:20 Sun 2:45-5:10-7:35-10 Mon 7:35-10 Tue 2:45-5:10-7:35-10 Wed-Thu 7:35-10

# Barrhaven

### Barrhaven Cinemas
### 131 Riocan Dr.

Argo (14A) Fri 6:50-9:45 Sat-Sun 1-4-6:50-9:45 Mon-Thu 5:05-7:50
Here Comes the Boom (PG) Fri 7-9:50 Sat-Sun 1:20-4:10-7-9:50 Mon-Thu 5-7:45 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1
Hotel Transylvania (PG) Sat-Sun 12:40-2:55 Mon-Thu 5:40
Hotel Transylvania 3D (PG) Fri 7:30-9:45 Sat-Sun 5:15-7:30-9:45 Mon-Thu 8:10
Paranormal Activity 4 (14A) Fri 8-10:15 Sat-Sun 1:10-3:30-5:45-8-10:15 Mon-Thu 5:45-8
Silent Hill: Revelation 3D (18A) Fri 7:50-10:10 Sat-Sun 12:50-3:10-5:30-7:50-10:10 Mon-Thu 5:10-7:40
Taken 2 (14A) Fri 7:40-10:05 Sat-Sun 12:35-2:50-5:10-7:40-10:05 Mon-Thu 5:30-8:05
Wreck-It Ralph (PG) Sat-Sun 11:50-2:25 Mon-Thu 5:25 Star & Strollers Screening, Thu 1
Wreck-It Ralph 3D (PG) Fri 7:35-10:05 Sat-Sun 5-7:35-10:05 Mon-Thu 8

# Gloucester

### SilverCity
### 2385 City Park Dr.

Alex Cross (14A) Fri-Thu 9:50
Argo (14A) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:25-7:20-10:10
Benji (STC) Sat 11
Chasing Mavericks (PG) Fri-Thu 4:10-10:15
Cloud Atlas (14A) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:10-6:50-10:30
Cloud Atlas: The IMAX Experience (14A) Fri-Tue 1-4:30-8 Wed 1
Flight (18A) Fri-Thu 1:25-4:35-7:35-10:40
Fun Size (PG) Fri-Tue 12:50-7:55 Wed 7:55 Thu 12:50-7:55 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
Here Comes the Boom (PG) Fri-Wed 12:35-3:15-5:35-8:10-10:25 Thu 12:35-3-5:35-8:10-10:25
Hotel Transylvania (PG) Fri-Thu 12:55-3:20 Hotel Transylvania 3D (PG) Fri 7:15-9:35 Sat 11:15-7:15-9:35 Sun-Thu 7:15-9:35
Looper (14A) Fri 2:20-5:05-7:50-10:25 Sat 11:30-2:20-5:05-7:50-10:25 Sun-Thu 2:20-5:05-7:50-10:25
The Man With the Iron Fists (18A) Fri-Thu 1:05-3:30-5:55-8:20-10:45
Paranormal Activity 4 (14A) Fri 12:45-4:15-6:20-8:30-10:35 Sat 12:40-4:15-6:20-8:30-10:35 Sun-Thu 12:45-4:15-6:20-8:30-10:35
Pitch Perfect (PG) Fri 2:10-4:50-7:25 Sat 11:20-2:10-4:50-7:25 Sun-Wed 2:10-4:50-7:25 Thu 1:35-4
Seven Psychopaths (18A) Fri-Thu 2-4:45-7:30-10
Silent Hill: Revelation 3D (18A) Fri-Thu 1:20-3:40-6-8:25-10:40
Sinister (14A) Fri 2:25-5:10-7:45-10:35 Sat 11:45-2:25-5:10-7:45-10:35 Sun-Wed 2:25-5:10-7:45-10:35 Thu 5:10-7:45-10:35
Skyfall: The IMAX Experience (PG) Wed 12:07 Thu 12:55-4:05-7:15-10:30
Taken 2 (14A) Fri 1:30-4:40-7:10-10:05 Sat 11:10-1:30-4:40-7:10-10:05 Sun-Thu 1:30-4:40-7:10-10:05
Wreck-It Ralph (PG) Fri 12:30 Sat 11:25-12:30 Sun-Tue 12:30 Star & Strollers Screening, Wed 1 Thu 12:30
Wreck-It Ralph 3D (PG) Fri-Thu 3:05-5:40-8:15-10:45

# Orleans

### Empire Theatres Orleans
### 6 Cinemas, 3752 Innes Rd.

Argo (14A) Fri 4-6:50-9:40 Sat-Sun 12:40-4-6:50-9:40 Mon 6:50-9:40 Tue 12:40-4-6:50-9:40 Wed-Thu 6:50-9:40
Chasing Mavericks (PG) Fri-Thu 9:30
Cloud Atlas (14A) Fri 4:15-8 Sat-Sun 12:30-4:15-8 Mon 8 Tue 12:30-4:15-8 Wed-Thu 8
Flight (18A) Fri 3:50-7-10:10 Sat-Sun 12:35-3:50-7-10:10 Mon 7-10:10 Tue 12:35-3:50-7-10:10 Wed 7 Thu 7-10:10 Wed 10:10 Fun Size (PG) Fri 4:25-7:15 Sat-Sun 1:20-4:25-7:15 Mon 7:15 Tue 1:20-4:25-7:15 Wed-Thu 7:15
Here Comes the Boom (PG) Fri 6:20 Sat-Sun 1-6:20 Mon 6:20 Tue 1-6:20 Wed 6:20
Hotel Transylvania (PG) Fri-Sun 3:30-8:45 Mon 8:45 Tue 3:30-8:45 Wed-Thu 8:45
Hotel Transylvania 3D (PG) Fri 6:15 Sat-Sun 1:10-6:15 Mon 6:15 Tue 1:10-6:15 Wed-Thu 6:15
The Man With the Iron Fists (18A) Fri 4:10-6:45-9:20 Sat-Sun 1:15-4:10-6:45-9:20 Mon 6:45-9:20 Tue 1:15-4:10-6:45-9:20 Wed-Thu 6:45-9:20
Paranormal Activity 4 (14A) Fri 4:20-7:30-9:50 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:20-7:30-9:50 Mon 7:30-9:50 Tue 1:30-4:20-7:30-9:50 Wed-Thu 7:30-9:50
Silent Hill: Revelation 3D (18A) Fri 4:30-7:20-10 Sat-Sun 1:25-4:30-7:20-10 Mon 7:20-10 Tue 1:25-4:30-7:20-10 Wed-Thu 10
Skyfall (PG) Wed 12:07 Thu 7:15-10:30
Taken 2 (14A) Fri-Sun 3:35-9 Mon 9 Tue 3:35-9 Wed 9
Wreck-It Ralph (PG) Sat-Sun 12:50 Tue 12:50
Wreck-It Ralph 3D (PG) Fri-Sun 3:45-6:30-9:10 Mon 6:30-9:10 Tue 3:45-6:30-9:10 Wed-Thu 6:30-9:10

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# Quinn the extra ingredient to Holmes recipe

**Elementary.** Irish actor unfazed by last-minute casting decision for NYC police captain Tobias Gregson

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There are only two characters that come to mind when you mention the work of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle: Holmes and Watson.

So perhaps the creators of Elementary, a new modernized take on the Sherlock Holmes character, can be excused for waiting until the last minute to cast actor Aidan Quinn as Captain Tobias Gregson, the New York City cop who hires the down-on-his-luck detective as a consultant.

Quinn, a hardworking actor who's appeared in a diverse range of films, from Legends of the Fall to Jonah Hex, was shooting on top of the Rockies when he got the call. "I was the last one cast," he says. "I had to literally get off a plane and go straight to a hotel at nine o'clock at night. I had a three hour fitting and I was being picked up at 5:30 a.m. to start shooting."

Luckily for Quinn, he'd had recent experience playing a cop in the Big Apple to draw on, having just played one for 13 episodes on the television series Prime Suspect. "I got to hang out with the chief of detectives, Lt. Jimmy West," he says. "I knew the world I was walking into."

Elementary transplants Holmes, played by Johnny Lee Miller, to modern day New York, framing him as a recovering substance abuser with intolerance for slow-witted people. Dr. John Watson is now a Joan, played by Lucy Liu, who plays Holmes' sponsor.

While most of the people around Holmes are the targets of his acerbic sense of humour, Quinn's Captain Gregson has a genuine affection for him. "I think he enjoys watching Holmes say nasty things to people," he says, noting that as a police captain, his character has to mind his tongue. "I think maybe, in a way, I'm living vicariously through Holmes."

Irish actor Aidan Quinn (left) plays Captain Gregson in Elementary. HANDOUT

**Controversy**

- **Fan accusations.** Prior to its premiere, Elementary was already in hot water with fans over the supposed similarities between it and the BBC series Sherlock that similarly threw Holmes into a modern day setting.
- Not buying it. Quinn has never seen Elementary's British counterpart. "I've heard that the show is terrific and that the show is completely different than ours." Quinn blames Internet haters for the controversy. "It's all just bloggers."

**TV Picks**

## Fringe secrecy

As the countdown to the series finale of Fringe continues, even the episode synopses are cloaked in mystery. All producers will tease about Friday's new episode is that the team responds to devastating events, forcing one of its own to make a "significant and shocking move." Well, Canadian star Joshua Jackson has asserted that the sci-fi puzzler will eventually come to a highly satisfying conclusion, so we'll just have to trust him — right? (Citytv, Fox)

## Go easy on Pilgrim

The hyper-kinetic rom-com Scott Pilgrim vs. The World met disappointing box-office returns back in 2010, so here's guessing that many people still aren't wise to the quick-witted film's unique charms. Shot and based in Toronto and starring Canuck Michael

Fringe's Joshua Jackson HANDOUT

Cera, the film — airing Friday — follows a well-meaning slacker who meets his dream girl. (MuchMusic)

## Go Raptors!

The Toronto Raptors kicked off their season earlier this week, and Saturday will travel to face their newest division rivals on Rogers Sportsnet: The recently re-located Brooklyn Nets, owned in part by rap superstar Jay-Z. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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# Pop-mustache polarity

There's good reason mustachio rhymes with braggadocio, because in this past century you needed major league guts to carry one off with aplomb. "Like two erect sentries, my mustache defends the entrance to my real self," Salvador Dali captioned an iconic portrait, where his waxed-stache tips vertically extend, overshooting his eyes. Below the nose, follicle gardens tend to make bristly and divisive style statements that leave little room for middle ground — you're either a biker or a bellhop, a hippie or a hipster, Lemmy Kilmister or Freddie Mercury.

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## Toons

### Square—Ned Flanders

**STYLE: THE MAGNUM**

While Springfield's most irrepressibly jovial denizen may be as bland as a pint of Duff Light, his ample soup strainer, straight off the hirsute 1970s, is a colossal furry specimen. His stache embodies his sense of peace with his outsized manliness. Still, not everybody reads it right. "Judging from that mustache, you must be a member of the People's Republic of Berkley," Ted Nugent surmised.

Ned Flanders

### Hothead—Yosemite Sam

**STYLE: BIG BUSHY MESS**

Sam's ungainly whiskers account for 20 per cent of his body mass and are so prodigious he could really conceal his two six-shooters in that furry menace. His ginger facial mane is an outward reflection of his redneck Napoleon complex and banjo-smashing short fuse. If you look at Sam the wrong way, you better start saying your prayers, varmint.

## Political leaders

### Hero—Martin Luther King Jr.

**STYLE: ELEGANT COP STACHE**

While this civil rights leader is celebrated for his vision of racial equality, MLK's legacy saw some more trivial yet still world changing consequences come to be, like his unintended dream of follicular freedom. While mustache discrimination may still exist in some corners, most office places have removed restrictions. Disney theme parks lifted their employee mo ban in 2000, and just this past year relaxed rules on beards and goatees.

Martin Luther King Jr.

### Presidential hopeful—Thomas E. Dewey

**STYLE: CLARK GABLE STACHE**

Nicknamed "The Mustache," Dewey ran against Roosevelt in the 1944 American presidential election. Alice Roosevelt Longworth publicly dissed Dewey's carefully cultivated and decidedly dapper lip-warmer, which complimented his put-together look, calling him "the little man on the wedding cake." Many believe the dig buried his campaign and his subsequent one. He would lose again to Truman in 1948 by quite a few whiskers.

## Rockers

### Theatrical Rock—Freddie Mercury

**STYLE: CHEEKY CHEVRON**

The late Queen lead singer's mo was as magnificent as his voice. His glamorous crumb-catcher looked particularly fetching when accessorized with a racerback tank top, fingerless leather biker gloves, or a spandex jumpsuit. Mercury's Moustache could probably sing We Are the Champions while doing the fandango.

Lemmy Kilmister

### Heavy Metal—Lemmy Kilmister

**STYLE: THE LEMMY**

Catch a glimpse of Motörhead frontman's muttonchops and feral stache in a dark alley and you might just scream louder than his band's speed metal.

Pioneering rock God or not, Lemmy's mug may be more famous than his music, landing him in potato chip and Kit-Kat commercials in the U.K., a bit part in Airheads, and a cameo in the adult film John Wayne Bobbit Uncut.

## Big four sports

### NFL Tough Guy—Jack Lambert

**STYLE: SHAGGY WALRUS**

You didn't want to see this hard-hitting linebacker staring you down across the line of scrimmage in the 1970s. Missing his front four top teeth, Lambert's snarling mug, highlighted by his drooping thicket of walrus-esque underbrush, was emblematic of Pittsburgh's stingy defense dubbed the Steel Curtain.

Jack Lambert

### MLB Nice Guy—Rollie Fingers Style

**STYLE: HAUTE HANDLEBAR**

While his sharp slider and impressive save tally put the A's pitcher in the Hall, most baseball fans' fondest memory of this rock solid reliever is of his exquisitely curled handlebar.

The leader of the Athletics' cookie duster cohort, Fingers first grew his stache in order to receive a $300 bonus from eccentric owner Charles O. Finley, who also dreamed up Mustache Day at the ballpark.

# Amy Winehouse. Charity says late singer's dresses stolen from her home

Amy Winehouse. SIMONE JOYNER/GETTY IMAGES

Amy Winehouse's charity says two of the late singer's dresses — including her wedding dress — are missing and believed stolen from her former London home.

The Amy Winehouse Foundation said Thursday the dress Winehouse wore for her 2006 Miami wedding to Blake Fielder-Civil and a newsprint cocktail dress she wore during a British TV appearance are both missing.

The presumed theft was discovered during an inventory.

The wedding dress was to have been auctioned off for the charity, established to help young people overcome addiction.

The singer's father, Mitch Winehouse, told the Evening Standard it was "sickening that someone would steal something in the knowledge of its sentimental value."

Winehouse, the Grammy-winning Back to Black singer, died from alcohol poisoning in 2011, at the age of 27.

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# Aerosmith, Public Enemy and All That Remains lead off

Now that November is here, the avalanche of albums really begins. And just wait until next week.

SOUND CHECK
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## 1 Legendary Child/ Aerosmith

The first single from Music from Another Dimension. The last Aerosmith album of new material was released seven months before the iPod 11 years ago.

## 2 I Shall Not Be Moved/Public Enemy

Two PE albums will appear on Tuesday: the physical edition of Most of My Heroes Still Don't Appear on No Stamp (already available digitally) and the brand new The Evil Empire of Everything.

## 3 You Can't Fill My Shadow/ All That Remains

The sixth album from this Massachusetts metalcore outfit is called A War You Cannot Win. Can they maintain the momentum of their last two records?

Ne-Yo's new album drops Nov. 6.
GARY HE/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# Ne-Yo makes surprise appearance

**Cross-pollination.** R&B star joins forces with country star Tim McGraw in Nashville to perform new collaboration off latest release

Ne-Yo feels right at home in Music City.

The silky-voiced R&B star joined Tim McGraw for a surprise performance Wednesday night. The two sang a pair of duets for a crowd of a few hundred invited guests at a private event on the eve of the Country Music Association Awards.

"For me, I feel like, in another life, I might've been a country artist," Ne-Yo said in an interview after the performance.

And he's not joking. He's found lots to love about country music since first joining McGraw for a Nashville-style songwriting session a few years back.

**Quoted**

**"She cooked fried chicken for me and it was fantastic."**

**Ne-Yo**
Talking about Faith Hill cooking for him upon arrival to Music City

"Faith Hill actually made me fried chicken," Ne-Yo said. "She cooked fried chicken for me and it was fantastic. I knew I was coming out here to write, so I was expecting to go to, like, a studio and hear some skeletal track and then just go from there. I went to Tim and Faith's house. It was me, Tim and a guy with a guitar in the living room as the kids ran around, and it was the greatest writing experience I've ever had in my life."

The two sang McGraw's Only Human from his Emotional Traffic album. Then they wrapped up with Ne-Yo's She Is from his Nov. 6 release R.E.D.

A loose, upbeat McGraw threw the party to debut new material from his first Big Machine Records album Two Lanes of Freedom, out Feb. 5. He will perform new single One Of Those Nights on the CMA Awards and will join Hill in a tribute to Willie Nelson.

Ne-Yo can't make it to the show Thursday night. He's shooting a video for Forever Now. But he vowed to return to Nashville soon.

"We're definitely going to do it again," he said. "I met a lot of very important people in there. I met Tim's management and the Big Machine people, and just expect to see some more of this cross-pollination happening."

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Tim McGraw's new album, Two Lanes of Freedom, is dropping Feb. 5.
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# METRO DISH

OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

Ashton Kutcher and Demi Moore. ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES

## Kutcher, Moore remain separated but not divorced

It's been a year since Ashton Kutcher and Demi Moore separated, but apparently they've made no moves toward actually getting a divorce, according to TMZ.

While several reports have suggested squabbling over how to divide assets between the stars, the website reports that in fact there have been no discussions on the topic, argumentative or otherwise.

Kutcher and Moore were married for six years before separating.

**The Word**

## *Ben Affleck forced to pass up prime gigs*

Ben Affleck has learned the hard way that finding a balance between working and home life means turning down some interesting gigs — like directing episodes of Homeland, the critically acclaimed spy drama.

While giving a speech at the Artios Awards in L.A. recently, Affleck admitted wife Jennifer Garner kept him from taking the job.

"I liked the show. I signed on. The guys were ready. I don't want to blame her, but my wife and I gave an agreement where when she works, I don't work and when I work, she doesn't work," he explains.

"She said, 'I have this movie, it's 10 weeks, it's in Atlanta.' I said, 'OK, forget it. I'm sure nothing will happen with it anyway.'"

The series went on to win several Emmy Awards, including best drama series.

## Bell finally ties the knot with Wood

It looks like those wedding rings Evan Rachel Wood and Jamie Bell were spotted wearing were for real, as the pair has tied the knot, a rep for Wood tells Us Weekly. The small ceremony took place in California on Tuesday, with Wood wearing a gown by Carolina Herrera.

"I am so happy for Evan. She is a timeless beauty and her gown in Chantilly lace captures this perfectly," Herrera says.

Jamie Bell

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**@JimCarrey**
Everything in life is dancing around on a bed of calm silence. No matter how chaotic the surface is, a stillness lies underneath. S'good.

Charlie Bewley

## Twilight co-star relates to Stewart's infidelity

Robert Pattinson seems to have forgiven Kristen Stewart for her infidelity scandal over the summer — and so have some of her other Twilight co-stars.

"Honestly, I used to cheat so much it would be very hypocritical of me to pass judgment on Kristen," says Charlie Bewley, who plays Vulturi vampire Demetri in the last installment of the successful franchise. "I know what it's like to have an inflated libido. Probably why I'm not in a relationship right now."

**Quote**

**"I know what it's like to have an inflated libido"**

**Charlie Bewley**
Talking about Kristen Stewart's cheating

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## Down Under sipping

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As you read this, I'm on the other side of the globe, enjoying some Down Under hospitality in Southern Australia.

The Aussies took the wine world by storm back in the late 1980s, catching the likes of France, Italy and Germany totally off guard. Giving grape variety names top billing on their labels, the wine wizards of Oz became industry darlings almost overnight.

Things have changed a lot since then. For awhile, it seemed like every vineyard in the country was trying to make the same wine.

Thankfully, today's Australia is, for the most part, a different place.

Smaller, family-owned wineries have taken up residence next to industry giants like Wolf Blass and Yellow Tail at your local liquor store — offering different personalities to offset the now diminishing glut of "taste the same" brands.

One new face of Australia I just visited was Shingleback, in the McLaren Vale not far from South Australia's capital, Adelaide. The Shingleback 2011 Red Knot Cabernet Sauvignon is a ripe mouthful of wine with lots of up-front blackberry fruit and complexity that reminds me of what the best Aussies of the '80s were producing. Try it with a plate of something big and beefy. **PRICES REFLECT THE RANGE ACROSS THE COUNTRY. SOME PRODUCTS MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE IN ALL PROVINCES.**

# Serious sandwich lovers, bite into this

**National Sandwich Day is on Saturday.** Celebrate the second annual event with an Italian grilled chicken sandwich with pesto-cheese sauce

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Whether you eat it on a croissant, between two slices of whole wheat bread with the crust cut off or on gluten-free buns, this is the weekend to make yourself a delicious sandwich.

According to Technomic Inc.'s 2010 Canadian Sandwich Consumer Trend Report, 94 per cent of Canadians said they eat at least one sandwich each week.

This week, make it this delicious Italian grilled chicken sandwich with pesto-cheese sauce.

I save calories in this sandwich by removing the interior from the loaf of bread and leaving the crust intact. That brings the calorie count to 345 per one sandwich.

The filling of chicken with vegetables, pesto-cheese sauce and shredded lettuce makes this a unique and delicious meal.

**This recipe serves six.** RYAN SZULC, FROM ROSE REISMAN'S FAMILY FAVORITES (WHITECAP BOOKS)

**Ingredients**

**Start to finish: 25 minutes**

- 2 tbsp pesto
- 2 tbsp light mayonnaise
- 1/3 cup light ricotta (5%)
- 3 tbsp light cream cheese, softened
- 1/3 cup crumbled goat cheese (about 1 1/2 oz)
- 1 whole Italian round loaf of bread (about 1 1/4 lb; about 12 inches across)
- 8 oz skinless boneless chicken breasts (about 2 breasts), pounded flat
- 1 roasted red pepper, thinly sliced
- 2 cups shredded romaine lettuce
- 2 medium plum tomatoes, sliced and seeded
- 1/3 cup diced red onion
- 1/3 cup chopped black olives
- pinch of salt and pepper

**1.** To make the pesto-cheese sauce, combine the pesto, mayonnaise, ricotta, cream cheese and goat cheese in a food processor and purée until smooth.

**2.** Cut the loaf of bread in half horizontally and pull out as much of the bread as possible, leaving only the crust.

**3.** In a non-stick grill pan or skillet, lightly coated with cooking spray, cook the chicken breast just until no longer pink, about 5 minutes. Cool, then slice thinly.

**4.** Spread the pesto-cheese sauce over both the bottom and the top half of the loaf. Layer the bottom half with the chicken, roasted red pepper strips, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, olives, salt and pepper. Top with the top half of the loaf and cut into 6 sandwiches.

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Whether you're hoping to dance, drink or just relax, check out these hot upcoming events.

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## Beauty and The Beast

The smash hit Broadway Disney musical invites you to be their guest at the National Arts Centre. The unforgettable love story between a provincial town girl and a prince cursed to remain a beast until he learns to love is full of lavish sets, costumes and comedic characters. Nov. 2-4.
53 Elgin Street.
nac-cna.ca/broadway.

## Raw Sugar Anniversary Party

The hip café turned hot venue tucked beside the Chinese Arches in Centretown is celebrating its fourth birthday in the same style that made them famous: a DJ dance party. Plunk yourself down for an apple cider or pint of craft beer or dance to beats from a dozen local DJs. Nov. 3.
692 Somerset St. W.
rawsugarcafe.tumblr.com

## Free Thinking Festival

If you're into thought-provoking documentaries and films based on controversial events, you'll be set with the third Free Thinking Film Festival. There is plenty of international content spanning the decades, like Winston Churchill: Walking with Destiny and even a few laughs in the Korean comedy The Red Chapel, about North Korean totalitarianism. Nov. 1-4.
395 Wellington St.
freethinkingfilmfest.ca.

## The Music of Zeus

Before they hit up Europe for their fall tour with their album Busting Visions, the fabulous fellows of indie-pop rock band Zeus return to Zaphods bringing with them their raucous live show. Channeling influences from Freddy Mercury to Fats Domino, this show is not to be missed. Nov. 3.
27 York St.
themusicofzeus.com.

## An Incident at the Bunker

Ottawa Haunted Walks presents An Incident at the Bunker: A Zombie Adventure, for all ages. Time travel through the Cold War bunker back to 1994 when a group of scientists discovered a terrifying breakthrough kept hidden deep within. The interactive exhibit winds through the labyrinth with storytelling and members of the undead. Nov. 3.
3911 Carp Rd.
Diefenbunker.ca.

## Plaid Parade

Bike enthusiasts from across the city are encouraged to hit the road in their coziest plaid duds in the first ever Plaid Parade for a scenic Fall ride. An afterparty in Wellington Village will have new Kichesippi seasonal brews, food from Murray St. and Flatbread Pizza Co., bike-related exhibits and live music. Nov. 3.
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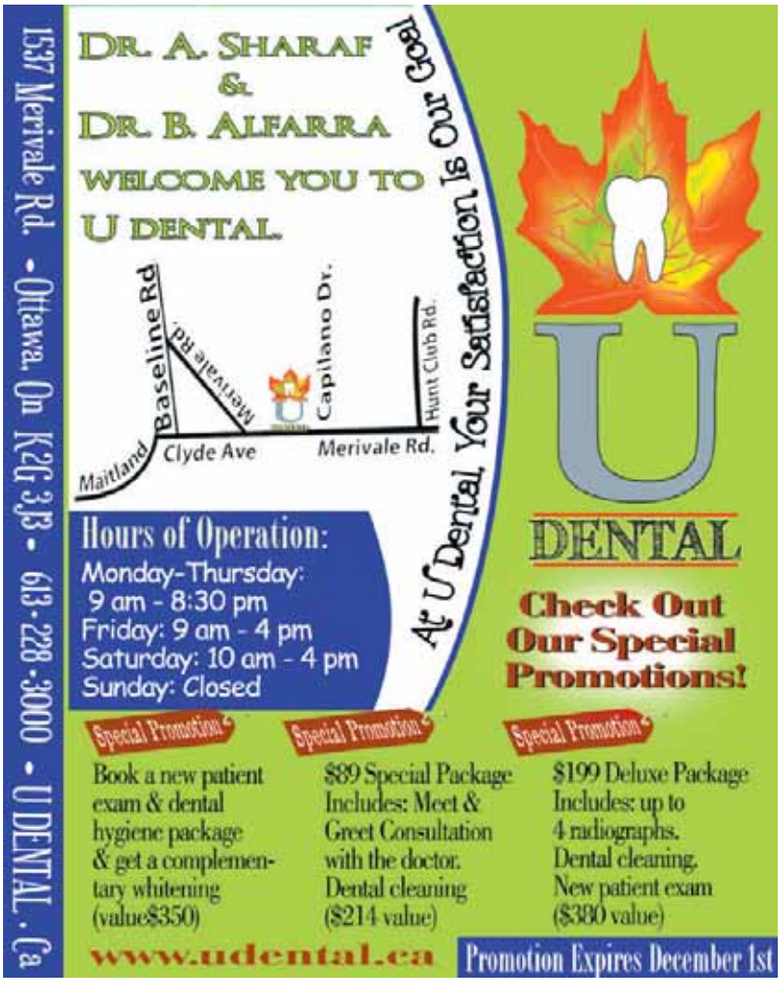
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# DeRozan deal a 'wise investment': Raps GM

**NBA.** Toronto wraps up fourth-year swingman before he can become a restricted free agent

With numbers crunched, the landscape surveyed and the future in mind, it became an easy decision for the Toronto Raptors to sign fourth-year swingman DeMar DeRozan to a lucrative four-year contract extension.

President and general manager Bryan Colangelo, fully aware that the six-foot-seven DeRozan has yet to realize what some experts see as his full potential, knows he's paying now for what he hopes happens down the line.

"Upside is a commodity in this business and we definitely think this was a wise investment," Colangelo said Thursday, a day after bestowing a four-year deal worth a guaranteed $38 million US on DeRozan.

DeRozan, 23, would have become a restricted free agent next summer had the Raptors not locked him up before a midnight, Oct. 31 deadline. Colangelo said the unknown of the future — and wanting to have a young player locked up on what he sees as a manageable contract — became paramount as the deadline approached.

"This is mostly about asset retention and yes, it does lock in an asset moving forward," said the general manager.

Whether DeRozan develops more as player remains to be seen. In his three NBA seasons, he's proven he can score but his shooting range remains a question mark and his defence needs marked improvement.

But, given how things around them are unfolding, and mindful that finding young players who want to come to Toronto has been difficult, getting DeRozan under contract does send a message.

It's now up to the player to continue to improve his game.

"We've grown with him, he's grown with us. We see him as a piece that not only do we want him, he wants to be here. That's important to me, it's important to our organization and I think it's an important message to send that we've got a nice fit, that we want to retain our players that work hard and show signs of promise," said Colangelo.

"The downside of waiting would have been that someone would have come in... roughly 10 teams that will have significant cap space and would have been potential suitors for a dynamic wing player like DeMar DeRozan."

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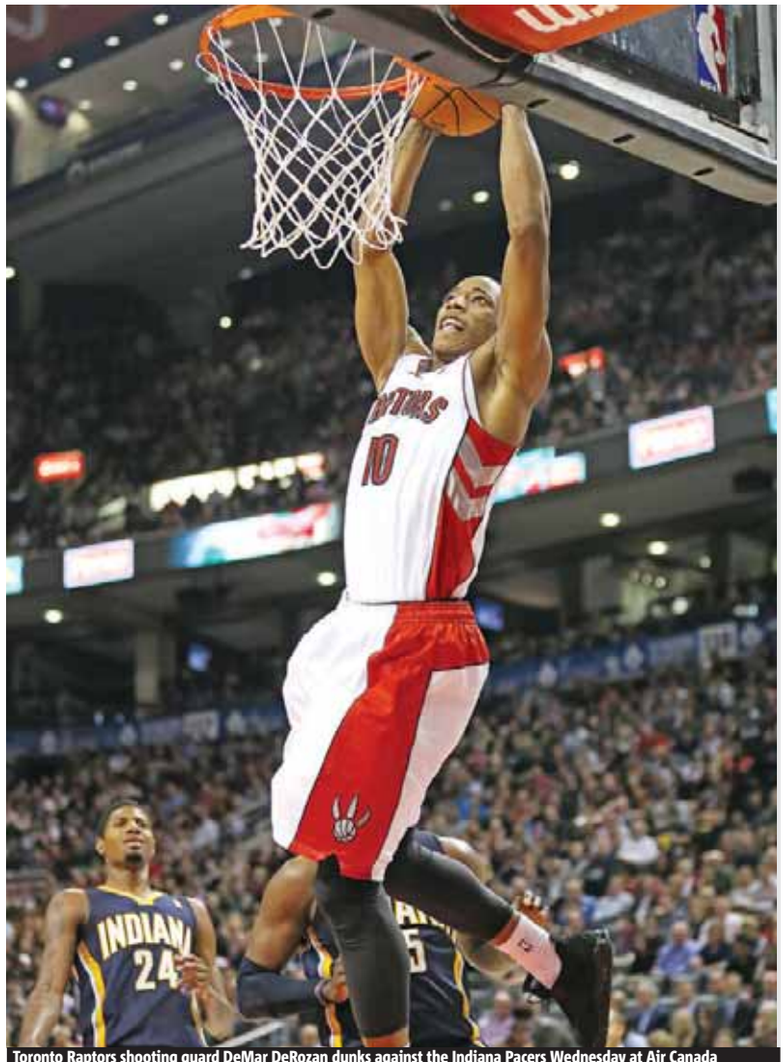
**Small group**

**DeMar DeRozan was one of only seven players from the first round of the 2009 NBA draft to sign an extension with their teams before becoming restricted free agents.**

- Blake Griffin of the Los Angeles Clippers, James Harden of the Houston Rockets, Ty Lawson of the Denver Nuggets, Chicago's Taj Gibson, Golden State's Stephen Curry and Jrue Holiday of the Philadelphia 76ers were the others.



Toronto Raptors shooting guard DeMar DeRozan dunks against the Indiana Pacers Wednesday at Air Canada Centre. STEVE RUSSELL/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

# Raonic's strong season ends with a loss in Paris

Milos Raonic closed out his 2012 tennis season Thursday by dropping a 6-3, 7-6 (1) decision to American Sam Querrey at the Paris Masters.

The hard-serving No. 14 seed from Thornhill, Ont., had 10 aces on the day but the American countered with an even dozen, wrapping up the match in 71 minutes.

Querrey was brimming with confidence after defeating top-ranked Novak Djokovic a day earlier. The loss also ended Raonic's faint bid to reach next week's eight-man World Tour Finals season wrap-up in London.

"I'm sick at the moment. I don't have fever but I'm struggling with sinuses," he said.

Raonic has now lost twice this season to Querrey, who eliminated him from Wimbledon in the second round.

The Canadian won titles in Chennai and San Jose this season and finished the campaign with a 45-20 record. He also reached finals in Memphis and last month in Tokyo. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Milos Raonic in action on Wednesday at the Paris Masters. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**New York Marathon**

## Mayor defends holding race

New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg said Sunday's marathon won't divert resources from victims of Superstorm Sandy's devastation.

Bloomberg responded to criticism of his decision to hold the race at a news briefing Thursday. He noted that electricity is expected to be back on in downtown Manhattan by Sunday, freeing up an "enormous number of police."

Bloomberg said "this city is a city where we have to go on."

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**Suspected robbery**

## Former Expos pitcher slain

Former Montreal Expos pitcher Pascual Perez, who had a troubled 11-season major-league career that included two suspensions for drug use, was killed at his home in the Dominican Republic in an apparent robbery, police said Thursday.

Perez, who last played in the majors in 1991 for the New York Yankees in, was found with a severe head wound and there was evidence to suggest that whoever killed him had been searching for money, an official said.

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# SOCCER

## MLS

### WILD CARDS

**Thursday's result**
Vancouver at Los Angeles
**Wednesday's result**
Houston 2, Chicago 1 (Houston Advances)

## SPAIN

### COPA DEL REY

**Thursday's results**
Eibar 0, Athletic Bilbao 0
Valladolid 1, Real Betis 0
Melilla 1, Levante 0
Sporting Gijon 1, Osasuna 0
Cordoba 2, Real Sociedad 0
Sevilla 3, Espanyol 1
Ponferradina 0, Getafe 4
Deportivo La Coruna 1, Mallorca 1

## ITALY

### SERIE A

**Thursday's result**
Genoa 0, Fiorentina 1

## SWEDEN

### ALLSVENSKANLIGA

**Thursday's results**
GAIS Gothenburg 2, Gefle IF 3
Mjallby AIF 2, IF Elfsborg 3
BK Hacken 1, AIK 1
Malmo vs. Orebro SK

# GOLF

## WORLD GOLF CHAMPIONSIPS

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| Louis Oosthuizen, South Africa | 32-33—65 |
| Adam Scott, Australia | 31-34—65 |
| Phil Mickelson, United States | 33-33—66 |
| Bubba Watson, United States | 32-34—66 |
| Peter Hanson, Sweden | 33-33—66 |
| Shane Lowry, Ireland | 32-34—66 |
| Dustin Johnson, United States | 34-33—67 |
| Prom Meesawat, Thailand | 35-32—67 |
| Ik-Jae Jang, South Korea | 34-34—68 |
| Scott Piercy, United States | 33-35—68 |
| Wu Ashun, China | 33-35—68 |
| Thomas Aiken, South Africa | 35-33—68 |
| Martin Kaymer, Germany | 34-34—68 |
| Jason Dufner, United States | 33-35—68 |
| Ian Poulter, England | 35-34—69 |
| Paul Lawrie, Scotland | 33-36—69 |
| Bill Haas, United States | 33-36—69 |
| Lee Westwood, England | 33-37—70 |
| Ernie Els, South Africa | 35-35—70 |
| Garth Mulroy, South Africa | 33-37—70 |
| Thongchai Jaidee, Thailand | 35-35—70 |
| Yuta Ikeda, Japan | 35-35—70 |
| Carl Pettersson, Sweden | 36-34—70 |
| Scott Hend, Australia | 36-34—70 |
| **Also** | |
| Graeme McDowell, N.Ireland | 38-33—71 |
| Keegan Bradley, United States | 35-36—71 |
| Justin Rose, England | 35-37—72 |
| Nick Watney, United States | 37-35—72 |

# TENNIS

## WTA

### QATAR AIRWAYS TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS

**At Sofia, Bulgaria**
**Round Robin**
**Singles**
**Serdika Group**

Caroline Wozniacki (1), Denmark, def. Daniela Hantuchova (7), Slovakia, 3-6, 7-6 (4), 6-4.

Roberta Vinci (4), Italy, def. Hsieh Su-Wei (5), Taiwan, 6-1, 6-2.

**Standings:** Wozniacki 3-0 (sets 6-1); Vinci 2-1 (4-2); Hantuchova 0-2 (1-4); Hsieh Su-Wei 0-2 (0-4).

**Sredets Group**

Nadia Petrova (2), Russia, def. Maria Kirilenko (3), Russia, 3-6, 7-6 (4), 6-3.

Standings: Petrova 2-0 (4-1); Kirilenko 1-1 (3-2); Pironkova 1-1 (2-3); Jie 0-2 (1-4).

## ATP

### WORLD TOUR BNP PARIBAS MASTERS

**At Paris**
**Singles**
**Third Round**

Tomas Berdych (5), Czech Republic, def. Kevin Anderson, South Africa, 1-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Jerzy Janowicz, Poland, def. Andy Murray (3), Britain, 5-7, 7-6 (4), 6-2.

Janko Tipsarevic (8), Serbia, def. Juan Monaco (9), Argentina, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

Michael Llodra, France, def. Juan Martin Del Porto (7), Argentina, 6-4, 6-3.

Sam Querrey, United States, def. Milos Raonic (14), Canada, 6-3, 7-6 (1).

Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (6), France, def. Nicolas Almagro (11), Spain, 7-6 (4), 7-6 (3).

Gilles Simon, France, def. Kei Nishikori (15), Japan, walkover.

David Ferrer (4), Spain, def. Stanislas Wawrinka (16), Switzerland, 6-2, 4-6, 6-2.

**Doubles**
**Second Round**

Paul Hanley, Australia, and Jonathan Marray, Britain, def. Bob Bryan and Mike Bryan (1), United States, 6-4, 6-7 (2), 10-5 tiebreak.

Alexander Peya, Austria, and Bruno Soares (8), Brazil, def. Santiago Gonzalez, Mexico, and Scott Lipsky, United States, 6-4, 3-6, 10-5 tiebreak.

Aisam-Ul-Haq Qureshi, Pakistan, and Jean-Julien Rojer, Netherlands, def. Feliciano Lopez, Spain, and Nenad Zimonjic, Serbia, 6-4, 6-7 (3), 17-15 tiebreak.

Mahesh Bhupathi and Rohan Bopanna (5), India, def. Julien Benneteau and Adrian Mannarino, France, 6-0, 6-4.

Josselin Ouanna and Nicolas Renavand, France, def. Jurgen Melzer, Austria, and Leander Paes (6), India, 7-6 (5), 6-4.

# AHL

## AHL

### EASTERN CONFERENCE

**ATLANTIC DIVISION**

| | GP | W | L | OTL | SOL | GF | GA | Pt |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Manchester | 6 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 11 | 10 |
| St. John's | 8 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 26 | 8 |
| Portland | 7 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 31 | 29 | 7 |
| Worcester | 7 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 20 | 27 | 5 |
| Providence | 6 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 20 | 4 |

**NORTHEAST DIVISION**

| | GP | W | L | OTL | SOL | GF | GA | Pt |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Springfield | 7 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 21 | 12 | 11 |
| Bridgeport | 6 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 20 | 8 |
| Connecticut | 7 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 27 | 26 | 7 |
| Adirondack | 7 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 26 | 6 |
| Albany | 6 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 14 | 4 |

**EAST DIVISION**

| | GP | W | L | OTL | SOL | GF | GA | Pt |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Norfolk | 6 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 15 | 10 |
| Syracuse | 7 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 25 | 25 | 10 |
| Binghamton | 7 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 16 | 20 | 7 |
| Hershey | 7 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 21 | 21 | 7 |
| W-B/Scranton | 7 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 20 | 4 |

### WESTERN CONFERENCE

**NORTH DIVISION**

| | GP | W | L | OTL | SOL | GF | GA | Pt |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 8 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 33 | 29 | 11 |
| Abbotsford | 7 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 25 | 16 | 10 |
| Lake Erie | 8 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 27 | 19 | 10 |
| Hamilton | 6 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 15 | 18 | 7 |
| Toronto | 6 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 17 | 7 |

**MIDWEST DIVISION**

| | GP | W | L | OTL | SOL | GF | GA | Pt |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 8 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 21 | 22 | 11 |
| Rockford | 8 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 21 | 21 | 9 |
| Milwaukee | 7 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 22 | 6 |
| Grand Rapids | 7 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 24 | 28 | 6 |
| Peoria | 7 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 24 | 5 |

**SOUTH DIVISION**

| | GP | W | L | OTL | SOL | GF | GA | Pt |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Charlotte | 9 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 36 | 23 | 13 |
| Houston | 7 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 27 | 19 | 9 |
| Okla. City | 7 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 24 | 22 | 8 |
| Texas | 7 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 23 | 6 |
| San Antonio | 7 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 20 | 5 |

**Thursday's results**
Lake Erie at Peoria
Toronto at Abbotsford
**Wednesday's result**
Milwaukee 5 Charlotte 4
**Friday's games — All Times Eastern**
Syracuse at Adirondack, 7 p.m.
Connecticut at Albany, 7 p.m.
Wilkes-Barre/Scranton at Manchester, 7 p.m.
Hershey at Springfield, 7 p.m.
Worcester at Providence, 7:05 p.m.
Hamilton at Rochester, 7:05 p.m.
Binghamton at Norfolk, 7:30 p.m.
St. John's at Portland, 7:30 p.m.
Lake Erie at Milwaukee, 8 p.m.
Houston at Oklahoma City, 8 p.m.
Chicago at Rockford, 8:05 p.m.
Grand Rapids at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.
Toronto at Abbotsford, 10 p.m.

# TRANSACTIONS

## MLB

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

DETROIT TIGERS—Named Bruce Fields minor league hitting co-ordinator.
KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Promoted Mike Groopman to director of baseball analytics and John Williams to assistant director of baseball analytics.
MINNESOTA TWINS—Named Brad Steil director of minor league operations, Dave Pruemer athletic trainer, Tony Leo assistant athletic trainer and Lanning Tucker assistant athletic trainer and rehabilitation co-ordinator.
NEW YORK YANKEES—Activated LHP Cesar Cabral, RHP Michael Pineda and RHP Charlie Morton from the 60-day DL.
TAMPA BAY RAYS—Named Don Zimmer senior adviser for the 2013 season.
TEXAS RANGERS—Moved first-base coach Gary Perris to third and third-base coach Dave Anderson to first.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Declined their 2013 options on the contracts of C Henry Blanco and RHP Matt Lindstrom.
ATLANTA BRAVES—Declined the 2013 option on 3B Chipper Jones. Claimed OF Jordan Schafer off waivers from Houston. Assigned RHP Erik Cordier and LHP Robert Fish outright to Gwinnett (IL). Announced C J.C. Boscan refused an outright minor league assignment and elected to become a free agent.
CHICAGO CUBS—Named Anthony Iapoce special assistant to the general manager/player development.
COLORADO ROCKIES—Announed LHP Jorge De La Rosa has exercised his player option for 2013.
HOUSTON ASTROS—Declined to exercise their mutual option on the contract of C Chris Snyder.
LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Named international scout Bob Engle vice-president of international scouting.
MIAMI MARLINS—Named Mike Redmond manager. Activated OF Emilio Bonifacio, OF Logan Morrison and RHP Jose Ceda from the 60-day DL.
MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Assigned OF Nyjer Morgan outright to Nashville (PCL). Announced RHP Jose Veras refused an outright minor league assignment and elected to become a free agent.
PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Exercised the 2013 option on C Carlos Ruiz. Declined the 2013 options on INF-OF Ty Wigginton and RHP Jose Contreras. Bought out the contract of 3B Placido Polanco. Named Dave Brundage manager for Lehigh (IL).
PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Activated RHP Charlie Morton from the 60-day DL.
SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Declined to exercise their 2013 option on INF-OF Aubrey Huff.

## NFL

JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS—Signed RB Keith Toston. Waived LB Brandon Marshall. Claimed WR Anthony Armstrong off waivers from Miami.
NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Acquired CB Aqib Talib and a 2013 seventh-round draft pick from Tampa Bay for a 2013 fourth-round draft pick. Signed WR Jarred Fayson to the practice squad.

## CFL

WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS—Named interim coach Tim Burke coach.

# NFL

## AMERICAN CONFERENCE

**EAST**

| | W | L | T | Pct | PF | PA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New England | 5 | 3 | 0 | .625 | 262 | 170 |
| Miami | 4 | 3 | 0 | .571 | 150 | 126 |
| Buffalo | 3 | 4 | 0 | .429 | 171 | 227 |
| N.Y. Jets | 3 | 5 | 0 | .375 | 168 | 200 |

**SOUTH**

| | W | L | T | Pct | PF | PA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Houston | 6 | 1 | 0 | .857 | 216 | 128 |
| Indianapolis | 4 | 3 | 0 | .571 | 136 | 171 |
| Tennessee | 3 | 5 | 0 | .375 | 162 | 257 |
| Jacksonville | 1 | 6 | 0 | .143 | 103 | 188 |

**NORTH**

| | W | L | T | Pct | PF | PA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 5 | 2 | 0 | .714 | 174 | 161 |
| Pittsburgh | 4 | 3 | 0 | .571 | 167 | 144 |
| Cincinnati | 3 | 4 | 0 | .429 | 166 | 187 |
| Cleveland | 2 | 6 | 0 | .250 | 154 | 186 |

**WEST**

| | W | L | T | Pct | PF | PA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Denver | 4 | 3 | 0 | .571 | 204 | 152 |
| San Diego | 3 | 4 | 0 | .429 | 154 | 144 |
| Oakland | 3 | 4 | 0 | .429 | 139 | 187 |
| Kansas City | 1 | 6 | 0 | .143 | 120 | 209 |

## NATIONAL CONFERENCE

**EAST**

| | W | L | T | Pct | PF | PA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N.Y. Giants | 6 | 2 | 0 | .750 | 234 | 161 |
| Philadelphia | 3 | 4 | 0 | .429 | 120 | 155 |
| Dallas | 3 | 4 | 0 | .429 | 137 | 162 |
| Washington | 3 | 5 | 0 | .375 | 213 | 227 |

**SOUTH**

| | W | L | T | Pct | PF | PA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Atlanta | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 201 | 130 |
| Tampa Bay | 3 | 4 | 0 | .429 | 184 | 153 |
| New Orleans | 2 | 5 | 0 | .286 | 190 | 216 |
| Carolina | 1 | 6 | 0 | .143 | 128 | 167 |

**NORTH**

| | W | L | T | Pct | PF | PA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 6 | 1 | 0 | .857 | 185 | 100 |
| Minnesota | 5 | 3 | 0 | .625 | 184 | 167 |
| Green Bay | 5 | 3 | 0 | .625 | 208 | 170 |
| Detroit | 3 | 4 | 0 | .429 | 161 | 174 |

**WEST**

| | W | L | T | Pct | PF | PA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| San Francisco | 6 | 2 | 0 | .750 | 189 | 103 |
| Arizona | 4 | 4 | 0 | .500 | 127 | 142 |
| Seattle | 4 | 4 | 0 | .500 | 140 | 134 |
| St. Louis | 3 | 5 | 0 | .375 | 137 | 186 |

## WEEK NINE

**Thursday's result**
Kansas City at San Diego
**Sunday's games — All Times Eastern**
Detroit at Jacksonville, 1 p.m.
Chicago at Tennessee, 1 p.m.
Denver at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.
Buffalo at Houston, 1 p.m.
Miami at Indianapolis, 1 p.m.
Carolina at Washington, 1 p.m.
Arizona at Green Bay, 1 p.m.
Baltimore at Cleveland, 1 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Oakland, 4:05 p.m.
Minnesota at Seattle, 4:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh at N.Y. Giants, 4:25 p.m.
Dallas at Atlanta, 8:20 p.m.
**Monday's game**
Philadelphia at New Orleans, 8:30 p.m.

# CFL

## WEEK 19

**EAST DIVISION**

| | GP | W | L | T | PF | PA | Pt |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| y-Montreal | 17 | 11 | 6 | 0 | 467 | 470 | 22 |
| x-Toronto | 17 | 8 | 9 | 0 | 402 | 451 | 16 |
| Hamilton | 17 | 6 | 11 | 0 | 498 | 533 | 12 |
| Winnipeg | 17 | 5 | 12 | 0 | 357 | 520 | 10 |

**WEST DIVISION**

| | GP | W | L | T | PF | PA | Pt |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| y-B.C. | 17 | 12 | 5 | 0 | 462 | 348 | 24 |
| x-Calgary | 17 | 11 | 6 | 0 | 505 | 403 | 22 |
| x-Saskatchewan | 17 | 8 | 9 | 0 | 451 | 392 | 16 |
| Edmonton | 17 | 7 | 10 | 0 | 395 | 420 | 14 |

x — Clinched playoff berth.
y — Clinched division.
**Thursday's result**
Hamilton at Toronto
**Friday's game — All Times Eastern**
Calgary at Edmonton, 9 p.m.
**Saturday's games**
Montreal at Winnipeg, 3 p.m.
Saskatchewan at B.C., 10 p.m.

**END OF CFL REGULAR SEASON**

### SCORING LEADERS

**(x—scored two-point convert)**

| | TD | C | FG | S | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| McCallum, BC | 0 | 46 | 41 | 7 | 176 |
| Paredes, Cal | 0 | 46 | 37 | 1 | 158 |
| Congi, Ham | 0 | 45 | 36 | 2 | 155 |
| Whyte, Mtl | 0 | 49 | 32 | 8 | 153 |
| Palardy, Wpg | 0 | 30 | 36 | 5 | 143 |

**Not including last night's game**

# NBA

**Thursday's results**
New York at Brooklyn,
Oklahoma City at San Antonio
**Wednesday's results**
Philadelphia 84, Denver 75
Indiana 90, Toronto 88
Houston 105, Detroit 96
Chicago 93, Sacramento 87
San Antonio 99, New Orleans 95
Utah 113, Dallas 94
Golden State 87, Phoenix 85
L.A. Clippers 101, Memphis 92
Portland 116, L.A. Lakers 106
**Friday's Games — All Times Eastern**
Indiana at Charlotte, 7 p.m.
Denver at Orlando, 7 p.m.
Milwaukee at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
Houston at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.
Chicago at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.
Sacramento at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
Utah at New Orleans, 8 p.m.
Portland at Oklahoma City, 8 p.m.
Miami at New York, 8 p.m.
Detroit at Phoenix, 10 p.m.
Memphis at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m.

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## Horoscopes

### Aries
**March 21 - April 20**
Travel plans and social events may be disrupted today but that may not be a bad thing. You seem to be torn in which direction you should be moving, but do you really have to move anywhere?

### Taurus
**April 21 - May 21**
Common sense could fly out the window under the influence of the moon's eclipse of Jupiter and you could easily find yourself out of pocket by the end of the day. Think before you act — and don't be so wasteful.

### Gemini
**May 22 - June 21**
Others may say you are being too cautious and maybe you are but if your instincts tell you to think more and act less, you must listen. Jupiter may be in your sign but you don't have to take risks.

### Cancer
**June 22 - July 23**
Try not to let your anxieties get the better of you. You are sure to be worried about something today but that does not mean you cannot control your fears. Focus on the positives and pretend the negatives don't exist.

### Leo
**July 24 - Aug. 23**
Today's cosmic events will get your pulse racing but you must not take foolish risks, especially where friendships are concerned. Think before you act and, if you do make a mistake, correct it right away.

### Virgo
**Aug. 24 - Sept. 23**
Keep things simple and don't overreact. That applies to all areas of your life because if things get out of hand in one place they will get out of hand all over. Tread especially carefully when dealing with your employer.

### Libra
**Sept. 24 - Oct. 23**
Today's moon-Jupiter link will encourage you to open your mouth when you should probably keep it closed. You are entitled to your opinions, of course, but it would help tremendously if they were backed up by facts.

### Scorpio
**Oct. 24 - Nov. 22**
You may find it hard to keep what you know to yourself today. You are bursting to let everyone know, which is not like you at all. Your rivals could easily find ways to profit from what you tell them.

### Sagittarius
**Nov. 23 - Dec. 21**
Your emotions seem to be all over the place at the moment, but that's better than holding it all in and pretending you have no feelings at all. Let partners and loved ones know why you are so wound up.

### Capricorn
**Dec. 22 - Jan. 20**
Take life as it comes over the next 24 hours and don't take anything or anyone (including yourself) too seriously. Look at it this way: Ten years from now who is going to know or care?

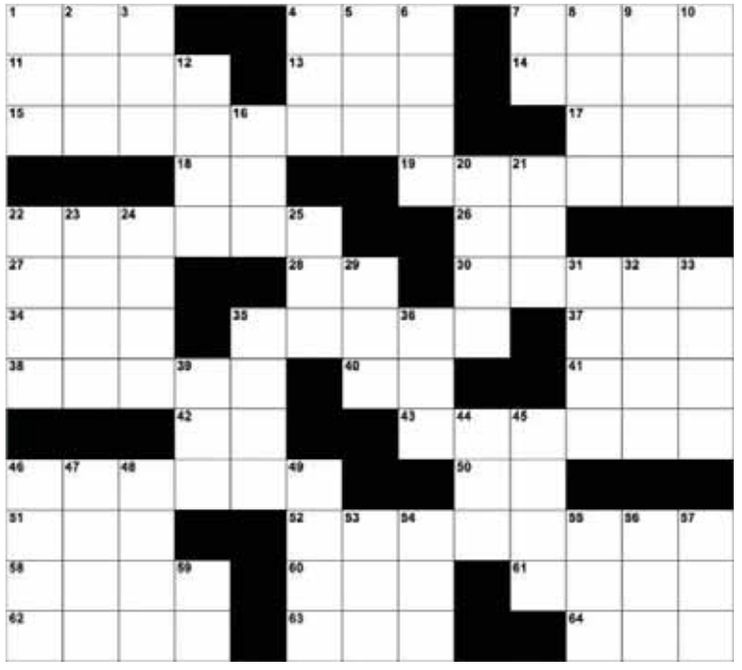
### Aquarius
**Jan. 21 - Feb. 19**
Some kind of success or breakthrough is likely today or over the weekend, most likely on the work front. What have you done to deserve so much fortune? Who knows? Who cares! Just enjoy it while you can.

### Pisces
**Feb. 20 - March 20**
Don't allow yourself to feel guilty about what happens to other people. You are not responsible for their woes and have every right to be happy even though some may be suffering. Smile — and the world will smile with you.

SALLY BROMPTON

## Canadian Crossword

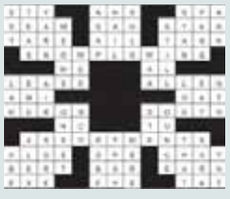
BY BETTY MARTIN



**Across**
1. Apiece
4. Word heard at an auction
7. July birthstone
11. Affirm
13. A Gershwin
14. On the Pacific Princess
15. Taped previously
17. Nightmare street
18. Commercial
19. Baseball and Golf
22. Night time television selection
26. Ready – Not
27. Fishing apparatus
28. Whose Line Is — Anyway?
30. Courtroom drama
34. American Music Awards (abbr.)
35. Math calculation
37. — Life to Live
38. Office clerks
40. "— Officer and a Gentleman"
41. Countdown number
42. Battery size
43. Canadian capital
46. Trample
50. Model railroad gauge
51. Type of talk
52. Travel destinations
58. Lagers
60. Compass reading (abbr.)
61. Prong
62. Camping necessity
63. Goal
64. Consumed

**Down**
1. Golf term
2. Night before
3. Basement room
4. E-Bay requirement
5. Anger
6. Moms and —
7. Egyptian Sun God
8. Consumer
9. Holds up pants
10. Sweet potatoes
12. Stray
16. Star of Stargate: SG-1 (init.)
20. Kitchen utensils
21. Hockey great
22. Mild curse
23. Italian capital
24. Actor Sandler
25. "To —, With Love"
29. Mid afternoon social
31. Small amount
32. Afresh
33. Singer/actress Horne
35. PDQ
36. Year, in Spain
39. Actress Dawber
44. Apex
45. Whistle
46. Tiff
47. Before phone or vision
48. — Mike with Mike Bullard
49. Lucid
53. Country motel
54. Autumn colour
55. Inlet
56. Dynamite
57. Take a look
58. – John's Newfoundland

## Yesterday's Crossword



## What's online

See today's answers at metronews.ca/answers.

## Sudoku

**How to play**
Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

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| | 2 | 8 | | | | 6 | 5 | |
| | 8 | | 4 | | 9 | | 3 | |
| | | 6 | | | | 9 | | |
| | 4 | | 7 | | 8 | | 6 | |

## Yesterday's Sudoku

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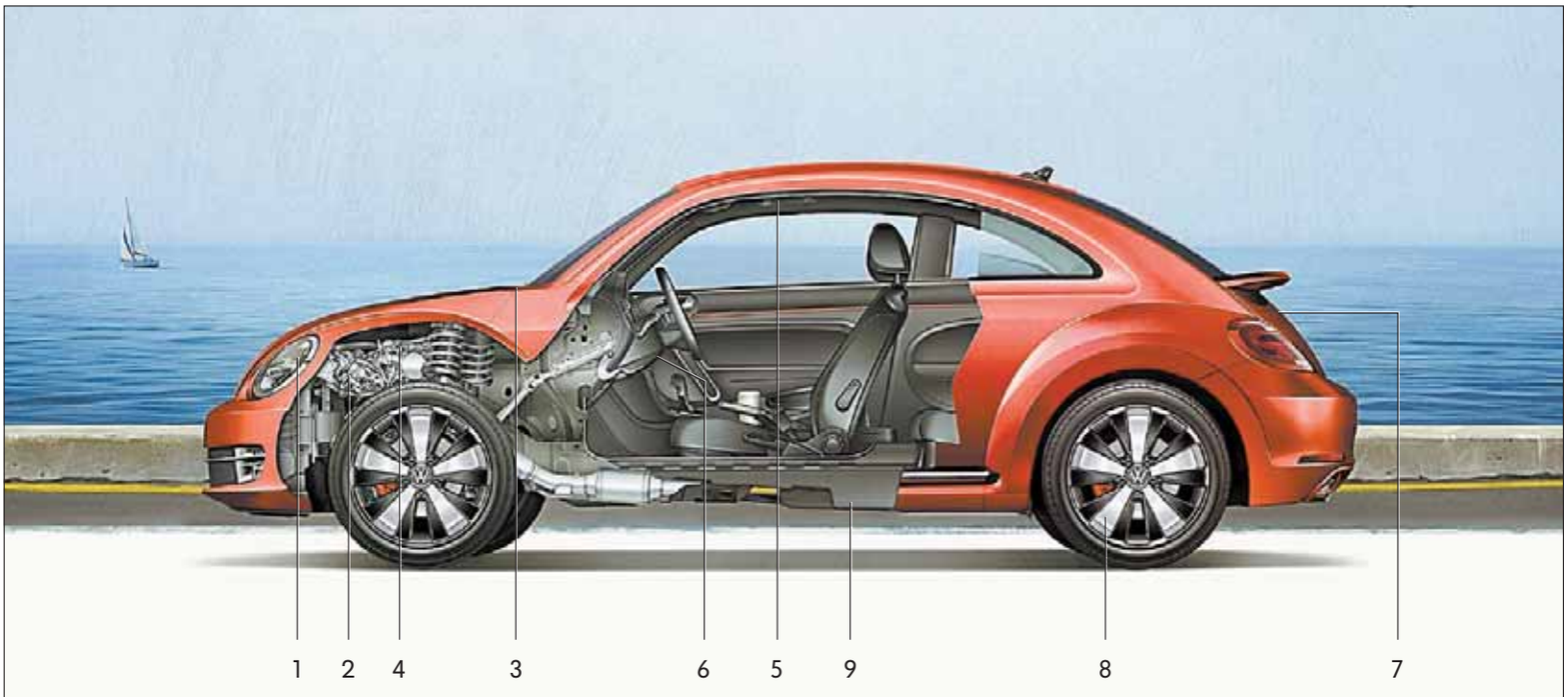


## THE BEETLE

We've hidden the missing parts in today's paper. Can you find them all?

1 – Bi-Xenon headlights with AFS

2 – 2.0 TSI 200-horsepower engine

3 – _____

4 – _____

5 – Available power sunroof

6 – _____

7 – _____

8 – 18" alloy wheels

9 – _____

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Answers: **3** – Invisible wipers, **4** – Yaw Rate Sensor, **6** – LEDs, **7** – Passenger side gas cap, **9** – Underbody shield

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2. WOLFSBURG
3. GERMAN
4. ENGINEERING
5. AFFORDABLE
6. YAW RATE SENSOR
7. LED LIGHTS
8. TOUAREG
9. PASSAT
10. JETTA
11. GOLF
12. TIGUAN
13. BEETLE
14. CLEAN DIESEL
15. UNDERBODY
16. AUTO DEFOGGING
17. LASER SEAM
18. WELDING
19. WINDSHIELD
20. WIPERS
21. QUIET CABIN
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Karat | Price/gram

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| 24k Jewellery | $40.14/g |
| 22k | $36.77/g |
| E. Indian/Nuggets | $32.60/g |
| 18k | $30.11/g |
| 14k and dental | $23.40/g |
| 10k | $16.70/g |
| 9k | $15.05/g |
| 8k/antique gold | $10.04/g |

### Gold Bar Buying Prices

Gold Bars | Buy Price

| | |
|---|---|
| Gold 1 ounce (Recognized) | $1,573.42 |
| Gold 10 ounce (Recognized) | $15,648.67 |
| Gold 1kg (Recognized) | $50,310.48 |
| Gold bars, less than 1 ounce (Recognized) | $50.32/g |
| 999 Gold bar (Unrecognized) | $48.94/g |

### Silver Coin, Bars, and Jewellery Buying Prices - Canada Coins | Price

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|---|---|
| Maple Leaf (1 ounce Silver) | $30.82/coin |

Silver Jewellery and Other Silver | Price

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|---|---|
| Stamped Sterling Silver Flatware | $0.63/g |
| Stamped Sterling Silver Jewellery | $0.60/g |
| Mexican Silver stamped 925 | $0.51/g |
| Stamped 800 Silver | $0.50/g |
| Unstamped scrap silver | $0.33/g |
| Other silver coins | $0.68/g |

*Actual buying prices are based on weight of silver content, which is lower for worn coins.

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### Example Purchase 1:

Purity: 14k • Weight: 193.50g

**PRICE: $4,527.90**

### Example Purchase 2:

Purity: 24k • Weight: 6.42g

**PRICE: $257.70**

### Example Purchase 3:

Purity: 14k • Weight: 183.30g

**PRICE: $4,289.22**

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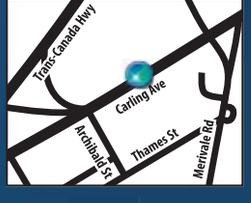


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